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W. G. BRADLEY,

MAYOR OF ROCHESTER, N. H., 1898-9, 1902-3, 1907-8.



# Sixteenth Annual Report

OF THE

## City of Rochester,

## New Hampshire,

FOR THE

## Year Ending December 31st,

## 1907.



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**INAUGURAL ADDRESS**  
**OF**  
**MAYOR WILLIAM G. BRADLEY.**

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*Gentlemen of the City Council:*

I stand here before you this morning for the sixth time as Mayor of the city, with some knowledge at least of the responsibilities of the office. No one more fully realizes than myself the burdens which a proper administration of the office entails upon the incumbent. For not only is the Mayor the head in all its governmental functions, but he is also its chief business manager and financial guardian, for he must be ready at all times to devote his time and energy to the business interests of the city and make himself familiar with the details of all of the several departments, in order to act intelligently.

I wish to thank my fellow citizens for the honor they have shown me and for their expression of confidence, which was so plainly shown by the people in electing me for Mayor with no other candidate in the field.

I regard the expression of confidence on the part of our citizens not so much as a personal tribute as I do as an endorsement of the course I have pursued in the administration of the city affairs the past year, which, I assure you, has been a trying one, which was brought about by the

changing of conditions that are continually developing; for whatever a majority demands after a careful consideration of the same must be recognized.

We started out the year of 1907 in a new era, so to speak. The liquor question came to us in a different way than ever before; for the public, so far as the illegal sale of liquor was concerned, said by their vote November 5, 1906, what policy should be carried out, in my mind, and I, as their candidate for Mayor at that time, distinctly stated at the convention what stand I should take on the liquor question, and said I did not want anyone to vote for me without knowing what action I should take if elected, after the city had gone no-license in the November election. The voters, in the face of this statement, still further confirmed what the majority wanted, by electing me for Mayor in one of the hardest political strifes ever held in the city.

And with the co-operation of the City Marshal and his assistants for the year 1907, good results have been obtained, it seems to me, in the suppression of the sale of intoxicating liquors. The same policy will be pursued during 1908. As fast as we can get the evidence that will convict violators, they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

It has been an eventful year for the city of Rochester, in the building of a new city hall, opera house and police station combined, which, when completed, I hope and trust you will be proud of.

You have also laid a new sixteen-inch water main from the reservoir and connected with the twelve-inch main as a feeder, which I will speak of later.

But the getting of all of these things does not end here; for with all of these there also comes an increase of the yearly expense, such as interest money to be paid on the

amount borrowed and the extra expense of maintenance each year, and also to provide for paying off some part of the debt, which will be quite a problem for your Committee on Finance to cope with. As to water bonds, I would recommend that the income received from the water be used as fast as it accumulates to buy water bonds, as every bond you buy stops the interest on the same and also at the same time reduces the city debt.

I wish to say just a word in commendation of our City Clerk Department, as I am frank to say that I think Rochester is fortunate in having such an able, faithful and conscientious official as holds the office of City Clerk to-day.

#### WATER AND DEEP SEWER.

Our water, according to the analyses of the State Chemist of October 30, and again December 9, is very favorable and satisfactory for domestic use. And the past year you have laid a new sixteen-inch water main from the reservoir and connected it with the twelve-inch main which has supplied the city in the past, so that to-day, as shown by the official test on November 2, you are amply provided with water protection against fire, as at that time there were ten streams on at one time from Barker's block to Bridge street, any one of which would have thrown water into the top story of any one of our buildings in the city. We shall now be better able to protect the taxpayers' property and business interests of our city.

The new water main cost the city about \$49,000, which is about \$10,000 less than the amount anticipated. This speaks well for your Superintendent, Mr. Scruton, as he surveyed, laid out and superintended the entire work to completion with the most satisfactory results.

## FINANCES.

This subject is one of the greatest importance to our city, as you all know we are laying out a great deal of money at this time and it will therefore necessitate great care and consideration of all its details by your Committee on Finance.

The following is a statement of the financial condition of our city as shown by its books:

## DEBIT.

Outstanding notes,	\$165,405 72	
Deducting notes, on account of water main,	7,000 00	
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Amount of notes, outside of water,	\$148,405 72	
Sewer bonds,	58,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$206,905 72

## CREDIT.

Amount due on Collector's list,	\$16,100 00	
Boston & Maine R. R. stock,	800 00	
Cash in City Clerk's hands,	26 80	
Cash in hands of City Treasurer,	3,996 49	
Exclusive of water money,	<hr/>	20,923 29
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Net indebtedness, exclusive of water,		\$185,982 43
Net indebtedness for 1906, exclusive of water debt,		\$166,208 47

## HEALTH.

There is no department where the work is of more importance for the lives and health of our community, than this. It seems to me that this department is very ably handled by our very efficient Board of Health and that nothing is left undone in suppressing contagious diseases from which our city has been very free during the past year. I refer you to the report of the Board of Health.

## SCHOOLS.

Our School Department is one of our largest and most expensive departments and it takes the largest appropriation of any.

It also calls for the wisest and most careful management on the part of those in charge, in order that the best possible results may be obtained along the lines of education. For education is the key-note of the coming generation. Never in the history of our country has it been more necessary for the children to have all the advantages possible along the lines of education, as it better fits them to cope with the difficult problems of life that everyone has to meet in one way or another. For further particulars I refer to the report of the School Board which will be printed in the city reports.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The importance of our Public Library is growing yearly in the minds of our citizens, as the increasing attendance in the reading-room and the circulation of books show. We have a beautiful library building now and there is a sense of pride whenever we speak of our library. The Trustees are constantly striving to increase the collection of books and I think the library is ably managed by the Board.

This institution, like our public schools, is an educational one and should receive the constant support of our citizens. For further details I refer you to the report of the Trustees which will be printed in the city report.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

This is a most important one, as they are to maintain good order in the city at all times. And how utterly impossible it is to please everyone, but few people outside of those closely connected with the department realize. The hardest problem it has to solve and deal with is the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors. I will give you a few figures to show how well the officers have done their work the past year.

For 1906, total number of arrests, 400; drunkenness, 360; for 1907, total number of arrests, 187; drunkenness, 118; making 242 less arrests for drunkenness during the year of 1907 than in 1906, notwithstanding you were under a license law from January 1 to May 1, the past year. And the first four months of the year there were forty-seven arrested for drunkenness and the remaining eight months seventy-one arrests were made for drunkenness.

Now the City Marshal and myself have people frequently come to us and say: "They are selling liquor in such a place, we know it, why do you not stop it?" And I have anonymous letters sent me to that effect.

I want to say right here that it is almost impossible to get any citizen to give his assistance along this line further than I have just stated. And in order to convict you must have the strongest evidence. It costs the city about ten dollars for every search made whether you accomplish anything or not.

I am pleased to say that there has been perfect harmony



between the Mayor, City Marshal, Assistant Marshal, and, in fact, every officer on the force, and there has been good and efficient work done, and good results obtained, by this department the past year. And when I say that I am proud of the Police Department it is but putting it mildly.

#### SURFACE SEWER.

In this department there has not been much done the past year, as there was no appropriation for it, but there have been 1,700 feet laid from Winter street to Main, which I think the public in that section will appreciate, for it has needed it for years. There are several places about our city that need some attention along these lines, and I hope to see a little of this work done each year.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

No department of the city should receive more careful attention than the Fire Department, for we look to it and expect protection of our property against fire. We have been very fortunate in the past as regards fire losses, and I am pleased to say that this department is in a better condition to-day to cope with a fire than ever before. You have spent a large amount of money for its equipment and it still needs a few more things to make it complete. The expense of running it keeps creeping up, for with a pair of horses in the fire station at all times, which you have had this year for the first time, it needs about \$300, and they are of no use unless you have a man at the station to hitch them at once night or day, which you have had this year. If you have a man there to do nothing else but take care of the house and so forth, that will mean \$600 more, but I am in hopes to be able to do the work for this year on

about the same lines as it has been done the past year, which will save about \$500.

Even after being as economical in every way as it seemed possible to be, this department will cost for the year of 1907, \$5,281.79.

In this there was \$530 worth of new apparatus purchased, which seemed unavoidable, that I will mention: Torrent Hose Company, a new reel at a cost of \$275; runners and rollway for the chemical, \$255; painting of the hose wagon in the city proper and the one at East Rochester, that had not been painted since the fire there, \$150; increase of Chief Engineer and his assistants' pay, \$195.

The above are the reasons why this department exceeded its appropriation so much. In order to properly maintain this department, it will have to have a much larger appropriation than it had the past year.

#### HIGHWAYS.

This is a very hard department to handle with the amount of money we are able to appropriate for it, which was only \$9,000 the last year. I hope to soon see the amount increased to \$15,000. Still, I feel that your Committee on Highways have spent the money to good advantage the past year. And it seems to me for the money expended the public ought not to find much fault.

For further details I refer you to the report of the Superintendent of Streets.

#### CONCLUSION.

I hope that the City Council will let every petition or resolution that comes before them be referred to its proper committee before any action is taken, so that when you act

you can do so intelligently, unless it proves to be absolutely necessary that action be taken at once. The past year we have not realized all our hopes or accomplished all our desires, but we have done what we thought best under existing conditions. To every member of the City Council, as well as to the officers of every department of our city government, for their valuable assistance and courtesy, I wish to extend my thanks. To the City Clerk, I wish to tender my sincere thanks for the courtesy shown me and for his willingness at all times to assist and give me facts and figures from his books, that I have troubled him for a great many times during the year.

To the City Solicitor, I am deeply grateful for the watchful care and advice so freely given at all times.



# CITY GOVERNMENT

## As Organized Jan. 1, 1908.

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Mayor, WILLIAM G. BRADLEY.

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### COUNCILMEN.

<i>Ward One</i> .....	JOSEPH O. HAYES, WILLIAM R. GERRISH, JOEL W. McCRILLIS.
<i>Ward Two</i> .....	HARTLEY L. WORMHOOD, GEORGE P. FURBUSIL, B. FRANK FELKER.
<i>Ward Three</i> .....	A. ROSCOE TUTTLE, WILLIAM A. OSBORNE, STEPHEN C. MEADER.
<i>Ward Four</i> .....	ISADORE P. MARCOTTE, ALBERT CARON, GILBERT F. SHAW.
<i>Ward Five</i> .....	CHARLES G. TORR, FRANK H. BABB, FRANK B. MAGUIRE.
<i>Ward Six</i> .....	GUY E. CHESLEY, FRANK HUSSEY, ALEXANDER H. DURGIN.

<i>City Clerk</i> .....	II. L. WORCESTER.
<i>City Treasurer</i> .....	JOHN L. COPP.
<i>City Solicitor</i> .....	SAMUEL D. FELKER.
<i>Collector of Taxes</i> .....	JAMES B. STEVENS.
<i>Street Commissioner</i> .....	GEORGE T. McDUFFEE.
<i>Supt. Water Works and Sewers</i> ....	LEON E. SCRUTON.
<i>Marshal</i> .....	CHARLES A. ALLEN.
<i>Assistant Marshal</i> .....	A. F. WILKINSON.
<i>Night Watch</i> .....	FERDINAND G. SYLVAIN.
<i>Police at Gonio</i> .....	EDRICK M. ALLEN.
<i>Police at East Rochester</i> .....	THOMAS H. GOTTS.
<i>Police at East Rochester</i> .....	WILLIAM V. ELLIOTT.
<i>Chief Engineer Fire Department</i> ...	HORACE C. HANSON.
<i>1st Asst. Engineer Fire Department</i> .	CHARLES E. RANDALL.
<i>2nd Asst. Engineer Fire Department</i>	LESLIE M. SEAVEY.
<i>3rd Asst. Engineer Fire Department</i>	ELMER E. LOWD.
<i>4th Asst. Engineer Fire Department</i>	LOUIS M. RICHARDSON.
<i>Sanitary Officer</i> .....	CHARLES E. GOODWIN.
<i>Overseer of the Poor</i> .....	FORREST L. KEAY.
<i>City Physician</i> .....	DUDLEY L. STOKES.

(The last three constitute the Board of Health.)

#### ASSESSORS.

Nahum F. Yeaton, John Young, Everett M. Sinclair.

#### PLUMBERS' EXAMINING BOARD.

Albert P. Covey, Dudley L. Stokes, Charles E. Goodwin.

#### TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Mayor W. G. Bradley, Sidney B. Hayes, Stephen C. Meader, Fred P. Meader, John Young, II. L. Worcester, Willis McDuffee.

## STANDING COMMITTEES.

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*Finance*—Mayor, Meader and Furbush.

*Shade Trees, Parks and Commons*—Mayor, Gerrish and Wormhood.

*Public Instruction*—Mayor, Osborne and Torr.

*Claims and Accounts*—Durgin, Marcotte and Felker.

*Public Buildings*—Maguire, Tuttle and McCrillis.

*Roads, Bridges and Drains*—Hayes, Chesley and Shaw.

*Water Works and Sewers*—Meader, McCrillis and Hussey.

*Fire Department*—Maguire, Tuttle and Gerrish.

*Street Lights*—Babb, Osborne and Felker.

*Printing*—Durgin, Caron and Torr.

*Adams and Old Cemetery Funds*—Caron, Chesley and Osborne.

*Elections and Returns*—Durgin, Chesley and Shaw.

*Bills in their Second Reading and Enrolled Ordinances*—Marcotte, Hayes and Hussey.

*Legal Affairs*—Mayor, Durgin and Wormhood.

*Purchasing Committee*—Mayor, Meader and Furbush.

*Police*—Mayor, Maguire and Babb.

*Janitor City Building and Fire Station*—William A. Hanseam.

*Special Police*—George W. Preston, Venant Perreault, William O. Morrill, Frank S. Edgerley, Frank Anderson, Cyrille Vachon, Joe W. Laundry, John Drisett, Edward Josselyn, Byron P. Nute, Samuel F. Corson, Warren W. Daggett, Horace H. Mills, Charles H. Eastman, Fred S. Babb, Edward L. Tebbetts, Joe L. Davidson, Fred M. Varney, Lemuel E. Goodwin, Lewis Grasse, Patrick Keating, Phil Hughes, Albert E. Rollins, Joseph Roulx, Samuel E. Shapleigh, William J. Hartford, Martin J. Donohue, Ernest L. Downing, Elmer W. Akers, W. A. Hanseam, Arthur H. Bickford, Walter J. Seavey.

*Scaler of Weights and Measures*—Charles M. Bailey.

*Surveyors of Wood and Lumber*—Frank B. Preston, Nahum F. Woodman, Edward Elliott, Nahum Yeaton, J. Trafton Whipple, Sidney B. Hayes, Miles H. Cochrane, Frank E. Hussey, Fred S. Babb.

*Weighers of Hay, Straw and Coal*—Daniel F. Jenness, John G. Morrill, John W. Tibbetts, Charles W. Willand, A. Roscoe Tuttle, John Bilodeau, Frank W. Smith.

*Fence Viewers*—James Corson, Charles W. Dame, William Flagg.



## Recommendation of Finance Committee for Annual Appropriation.

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We, the Committee on Finance, having considered the amount necessary for the maintenance of the several departments for the ensuing year, recommend the following amounts be appropriated for their support:

Fire Department,	\$5,000 00
Salaries,	5,500 00
Highways,	9,000 00
Macadam,	2,140 00
Sidewalks,	1,000 00
Miscellaneous,	3,000 00
Sampson Post,	150 00
East Rochester Library,	200 00
Street Lights,	6,600 00
City Poor and Soldiers' Aid,	1,400 00
Public Library,	3,000 00
Sewer bonds,	6,500 00
Interest on sewer bonds,	1,820 00
Schools,	25,000 00
County tax,	14,663 07
Brown-tail moths,	500 00
Police,	3,000 00
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## IMPORTANT RESOLUTIONS AND ORDERS PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.

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### **Resolution to Hold Trust Funds for Care of Cemeteries.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Rochester:*

That the city of Rochester accept the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 1, of the Laws of 1899, whereby cities and towns may hold in trust by bequest, or otherwise, any fund for the care of any cemetery or private lot therein.

Passed January 1, 1907.

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### **Resolution of Thanks to Retiring Mayor, and Request for Portrait.**

WHEREAS, this council at this final meeting for the municipal year 1906, recognizing the faithful and impartial manner in which Mayor Bickford has presided over its deliberations, the uniform courtesy shown to the several councilmen, and the conscientious interest with which he has endeavored to promote wise legislation for the best interests of the city, "Father" of our public buildings, being chairman of committees for building our fire station, public library, and city hall, during his three years' term of office, hereby tender him our cordial thanks for his efforts and our sincere wishes for his future prosperity.

*Resolved*, that the above preamble and this resolution be spread upon the records of the city clerk.

*Resolved*, that Hon. C. W. Bickford, the retiring mayor, is respectfully requested to present to the city a portrait of himself to be hung in the council chamber in the new city hall.

Passed January 1, 1907.

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## **Resolution for Annual Appropriation.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Rochester:*

That for the support of the various departments for the ensuing year, there be raised by taxation the sum of eighty-three thousand three hundred seventy-seven dollars and eighty-five cents (\$83,377.85), and the assessors are hereby directed to assess that amount with such overlay as may be thought necessary, the interest on notes to be provided for by the amount coming from the state.

Passed January 16, 1907.

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## **Resolution to Have a Pair of Horses in Stable for Use of Fire Department.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

That the street commissioner be and hereby is authorized and instructed to have one pair of the city horses in the city stable for the use of the fire department, in case of an alarm of fire, and the street commissioner is instructed to alternate the different pairs of horses of the city as in his judgment is best for the city, the same to take effect February 16, 1907.

Passed January 16, 1907.

## **Resolution to Purchase a Pair of Horses.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

That the committee on roads, bridges and drains be authorized to purchase a pair of horses for the use of said city at a price not to exceed six hundred and fifty (\$650) dollars, and that the sum of six hundred and fifty dollars be raised on note or notes of the city to pay for the same, and that the said sum constitute a portion of the city debt.

Passed January 16, 1907.

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## **Resolution Requesting Representatives to Oppose Bill.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

WHEREAS, the city of Rochester, since its incorporation and before, has fixed the salary of all its officers and has had no occasion to ask the legislature to either appoint a commission for said Rochester or to fix the salaries of any officer, and

WHEREAS, no intimation has been made to the city council that the salary it has already fixed for the police judge is not adequate, or that the council are not willing and qualified to fairly fix such salary,

*Resolved*, that our representatives be requested to oppose said bill or any bill which shall take from the citizens of the city the power to say how their money shall be expended.

Passed February 12, 1907.

## **Resolution to Sell Stable and Remodel City Building.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

That the committee on public buildings be instructed and empowered to sell the old stable now standing on city lot on Wakefield street, and to take down the addition that was put on the back of the old house for the council chamber and tax collector's office; also to take down the ell between the house and stable and arrange the old city building so it may be used during the erection of the new building.

Passed March 5, 1907.

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## **Resolution to Hire Money to Put in New Water Main.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

- SECTION 1. That the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars is hereby appropriated and raised for the purpose of putting in the new main for the water works in said city, and that said sum may be hired upon note or notes of said city and shall constitute a portion of the city debt, chargeable to the water department.

SECT. 2. That said sum shall be hired upon note or notes of said city for such time as the financial committee of said city may deem advisable and may be renewed in like manner.

Passed May 7, 1907.

## **Resolution to Hire Money to Build New City Hall.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester, N. H., as follows:*

SECTION 1. That the sum of sixty-five thousand (\$65,000) dollars is hereby raised and appropriated for the purpose of building the new city hall in accordance with chapter 161, laws of 1905, and other statute laws of the state, and that said sum constitute a portion of the city debt.

SECT. 2. That said sum shall be hired upon note or notes of said city for such time as the financial committee of said city may deem advisable and may be renewed in like manner.

Passed May 7, 1907.

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## **Resolution to Hire Money to Make Additions on City Building.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

SECTION 1. That whereas it is necessary to increase the size of the boiler in building the new city building and to connect the same with the fire station in order to heat the fire station from the city building, and also to make some additions to the new city building; therefore,

*Resolved*, that the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars be hired on note or notes of said city for said purposes and that said sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars constitute a portion of the city debt.

SECT. 2. That said sum shall be raised on note or notes of said city for such time as the financial committee may direct and with power to renew the same in like manner.

Passed May 7, 1907.

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### **Resolution to Sell Old Hearse House.**

*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

WHEREAS, the old hearse house now situate on land of Dominicus Hanson in rear of the fruit stand on Hanson street, is so dilapidated as to be beyond repairs, and

WHEREAS, it is an extra hazardous fire risk,

*Be it Resolved*, the committee on public buildings be authorized to sell the same to be removed or repaired.

Passed June 4, 1907.

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### **Resolution to Sell Old Shed on Upham Street.**

*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

WHEREAS, the old shed formerly used in connection with the school-house on Upham street, is not needed for any city use and is rapidly deteriorating, therefore,

*Be it Resolved* by the City Council of the City of Rochester, that the committee on public buildings are hereby instructed to sell the same and that the proceeds be carried to the miscellaneous department.

Passed June 4, 1907.

## **Resolution to Raise Money to Repair Allen School Building.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of  
Rochester:*

That a sum not exceeding eleven hundred (\$1,100) dollars be raised on note or notes of the city for the purpose of repairing the plumbing in the Allen school building, so-called, and that the same be made a part of the city debt.

Passed December 5, 1907.

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## **Resolution to Transfer Money from One Department to Another.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of  
Rochester:*

That, if found necessary in closing the accounts for the year, to transfer from any department where there may be a surplus to any other department that may be overdrawn, the committee on finance are hereby authorized to make such transfer.

Passed December 5, 1907.



## ASSESSORS' INVENTORY, 1907.

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Polls,	2,293	\$229,300
Improved and unimproved lands and buildings.		3,008,660
Horses,	855	58,800
Oxen,	32	1,700
Cows,	1,008	28,280
Other neat stock,	157	2,852
Sheep,	115	340
Hogs,	17	340
Fowls,	700	350
Carriages,		48,152
Stock in public funds,		1,000
Stock in banks and other corporations in this state,		59,542
Boats,		3,400
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit,		30,214
Stock in trade,		465,850
Mills and carding machines and factories and their machinery,		341,800
Total,		\$4,280,580

## EXPENDITURES, January 1, 1907 to January 1, 1908.

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### HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

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Paid Gonic Manufacturing Co., lumber,	\$100 13
R. DeWitt Burnham, arnica and witch hazel,	8 70
John Q. Abbott, labor,	3 50
L. E. Scruton, one-half of bill for plans of bridge,	8 00
E. J. Smart, legal services,	20 49
A. R. Tuttle, repairing sled,	53 50
Walter F. Varney, repairing snow plough,	4 00
Rochester Lumber Co., 180 feet pine boards,	4 50
The Record Co., 25 placards,	2 50
Rochester Lumber Co., 200 feet spruce plank,	5 00
Alberton Preston, damage to horse,	30 00
E. G. & E. Wallace, weighing hay,	1 20
Cobb, Hayes & Co., horse medicine,	10 50
Stephen C. Meader, 22,055 pounds hay,	154 38
Rochester Auction & Commission House, shovels, hammer, etc.,	3 88
S. C. Seavey, 5,603 pounds hay,	47 62
The Record Co., 500 pay-roll blanks,	5 00
Watson & Hayes, shovels and hammers,	6 40
Water Department, labor on catch basins,	27 00
George E. Greenfield, coal,	13 33

Paid George T. McDuffee, 22,990 pounds hay,	\$ 170 78
Sewerage Department, labor on catch basins,	18 75
Water Department, labor on drain,	29 75
C. W. Fall, one cutting edge and bolts,	9 00
Alphonse Lanoix, 1,000 brick,	6 00
J. Henry Willey, stock food,	45 00
A. W. Richards & Co., lumber,	4 09
I. Cushing, oil,	1 30
John H. Stevens, 1,380 feet pine timber,	33 12
Elliott Bros., 5,500 brick,	34 00
Water Department, labor on surface sewer,	86 25
L. E. Scruton, labor on surveys, etc.,	15 00
A. Roscoe Tuttle, 22,015 pounds hay,	187 13
John Carr, rent of land on Hancock street,	5 00
New England Broom Co., one street sweep- ing machine,	250 00
D. W. Varney, 2,745 feet 3-inch pine plank,	54 90
H. L. Worcester, express,	30
F. H. Babb, building chimney,	8 92
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	388 97
Harry A. Roberts, blacksmith work,	47 21
George F. Babb, team hire,	15 05
F. H. Osgood, team hire,	2 00
S. A. Stokes, blacksmith work,	4 00
John W. Dame, lumber and labor,	90 80
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	2 77
W. K. Kimball, grain,	801 21
Watson & Hayes, merchandise,	17 77
George E. Greenfield, cement,	15 90
A. R. Tuttle, blacksmith work,	28 50
Rochester Lumber Co., lumber,	443 04
M. Shaw, blacksmith work,	95 16
J. H. Duntley, blacksmith work,	4 13
Ame & Co., standard food,	23 50

Paid Allen Twombly, labor,	\$ 9 25
Charles W. Bradley, cement,	9 40
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	15 87
M. H. Plummer, merchandise,	54 10
Henry Evans & Co., merchandise,	4 30
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, merchandise,	116 35
Guy E. Chesley, professional visits and medicines,	20 50
Pay-rolls for labor,	6,341 32
George T. McDuffee, salary,	800 00
W. A. Hanscom, janitor of fire station,	25 00
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### Land Damage.

Paid Mrs. Zoe E. Cross,	\$10 00
Asa P. Roberts,	50 00
George A. Jacobs,	45 00
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	\$10,960 02

## Credit.

By appropriation,	\$9,000 00
From town of Barrington, use of road roller,	25 00
C. E. Ricker, old iron,	4 22
D. S. & R. Street Railway Co., concrete, etc.,	605 53
Leander Brochu, 75 feet stone,	2 25
John Perreault, stone,	3 50
John W. Dame, one stick N. C. pine,	18 90
E. G. & E. Wallace, one stick N. C. pine,	18 90
Water Department, board of horse one year (1906),	144 00
Sewerage Department, board of horse one year (1907),	144 00
Fire Department, board of two horses nine and one-half months,	228 00
	<hr/> \$10,194 30
Transferred from Sidewalk Department,	126 75
Transferred from special appropriation for horses,	84 54
Transferred from city poor,	214 97
Transferred from Police Department,	339 46
	<hr/> \$10,960 02

## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENT.

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Paid A. S. Parshley Agency, insurance,	\$414 75
Wentworth & Varney, insurance,	215 50
F. E. Small, insurance,	90 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lamps, etc.,	6 70
O. A. Hoyt, auditing books,	30 00
Pay-roll, returns of marriages,	25 50
Pay-roll, returns of births and deaths,	89 75
Charles M. Bailey, one duster,	85
F. W. Fifield & Co., printing,	9 25
F. B. Preston & Co., street sprinkling fair time,	20 00
Frank Sylvain, wood,	1 75
E. A. Corson, one floral piece,	8 00
Berry & Shorey, twine and wrapping paper,	25
George G. Neal, binding assessors' books,	6 30
O. B. Warren, postage stamps,	1 70
John W. Dame, material and labor at city building,	70 37
Courier Publishing Co., printing reports,	402 48
Courier Publishing Co., printing,	8 00
A. L. Abbott, labor at city building,	5 25
L. E. Scruton, moving city vault,	15 00
Water Department, moving city vault,	33 00
The Record Co., envelopes and jackets,	9 75
George J. Foster & Co., advertising ell of city building for sale,	2 70
Hobbs & Warren Co., one dog license book,	10 25

Paid George F. Babb, teams for assessors,	\$24 25
Bickford Rand, two days work with assessors,	5 00
Courier Publishing Co., 500 letter heads,	2 50
George M. Rankin, truant officer,	10 00
S. W. Goodwin, truant officer,	21 00
Charles M. Bailey, labor at city building,	1 35
F. W. Fifield & Co., tax bills and blocking paper,	10 00
Henry Evans & Co., one door spring,	14
J. O. Hayes, teams for assessors,	15 00
Edson C. Eastman, one invoice record,	12 00
Hobbs & Warren Co., one index,	70
F. E. Wood, one gross pens,	1 25
Frank R. Hayes, truant officer (1906),	10 00
The Record Co., postals (notice of meeting),	1 50
O. B. Warren, 500 postal cards,	5 00
Hobbs & Warren Co., one treasurer's book,	16 00
Ferdinand Marquis, assisting enumerating,	3 00
John Young, enumerating children,	24 00
Boston & Maine Railroad, mileage book,	10 00
Frank R. Hayes, enumerating children,	16 00
George M. Rankin, enumerating children,	12 00
Hobbs & Warren Co., one box seals,	40
Rochester Carpet Co., one oil brush,	2 25
Courier Publishing Co., 500 bill heads,	1 75
W. Hardy Dayton, one typewriter ribbon,	1 00
T. W. Osgood, ink and blotting paper,	1 80
Orin Oakes, bottoming chairs,	1 00
B. R. Young, labor at Upham street school- house,	1 50
George H. Tilton, care of city clock for 1907,	15 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.,	216 27
C. E. Goodwin, truant officer,	83 32
H. L. Worcester, express,	1 25

Paid Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	\$ 1 75
Remington Typewriter Co., repairs on typewriter,	1 70
C. W. Bradley, coal,	260 21
Fred P. Meader, merchandise,	9 13
George E. Greenfield, wood,	12 25
C. E. Jenkins, merchandise,	7 08
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	\$2,295 45

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### Credit.

By annual appropriation,	\$1,500 00
From rent of East Rochester hall,	113 66
J. B. Stevens, mileage,	12
Charles W. Howard, barn, shed and ell,	55 00
J. B. Stevens, three radiators and valves,	10 00
Dr. F. E. Whitney, one settee,	50
Mr. Varney, use of telephone,	10
H. C. Hanson, old hearse house,	3 00
Thomas Seabill, old building on Upham street,	10 00
Police Department, mileage,	10 66
George Warren, sheathing,	5 00
Fire Department, lights at East Rochester engine house,	5 00
City clerk's fees,	174 47
Show licenses,	29 00
Pool licenses,	70 00
Licenses to sell,	47 00
Pawn broker's license,	10 00
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	2,043 51
Transferred from county,	251 94
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	\$2,295 45



## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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Paid Fred Jordan, labor on wires,	\$5 00
Thomas A. Seward, labor on wires,	10 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting,	213 30
J. B. Young, hauling hose to fires,	7 00
Gonic Manufacturing Co., merchandise,	58 09
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	9 13
Henry Evans & Co., merchandise,	47 59
Ganewell Fire Alarm Co., coppers and zines,	45 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., merchandise,	12 81
Berry & Shorey, one thermometer and tacks,	55
R. DeWitt Burnham, sulphuric acid,	1 25
John W. Dame, lumber and labor,	121 30
John E. Hobbs, runners for hook and ladder,	150 00
S. A. Stokes, labor,	90
Thomas Maguire, labor,	5 25
American La France Fire Engine Co., four charges for extinguishers,	2 00
E. E. Lowd, merchandise,	2 33
Watson & Hayes, merchandise,	2 08
Charles M. Bailey, merchandise,	29 23
H. S. Johnson, express,	75
Mathieson Alkali Works, soda,	2 24
Berry & Shorey, three lanterns,	2 55
M. C. Foss, hauling hose,	5 65
C. N. Perkins Co., 84 feet track,	105 00
The Woodhouse Manufacturing Co., pony charges, etc.,	8 50

Paid Twin State Gas & Electric Co., one switch,	8 50
C. W. Lowe & Son, team hire,	3 75
Charles S. Clark, glass, zines and labor,	2 00
Rochester Carpet Co., one iron mat,	5 50
Miscellaneous Department, lights at East Rochester station,	5 00
Rochester Carpet Co., one duster,	90
J. H. Duntley, one key and drilling,	25
M. H. Plummer, merchandise,	22 95
Berry & Shorey, rope,	1 32
The C. C. C. Fire Hose Co., bottles for ex- tinguishers,	15 00
Rochester Lumber Co., spruce and milling,	2 38
H. R. Schulmaier, work on hose wagons,	150 00
J. S. Loud, use of wagon,	13 00
M. H. Jacobs, use of wagon,	7 00
Water Department, moving pipe at station,	1 50
C. C. C. Fire Hose Co., 500 feet hose,	300 00
Courier Publishing Co., printing rules and regulations,	5 00
C. C. C. Fire Hose Co., one jumper,	238 00
Justin Gear, watching fire,	3 00
Herbert H. Cate, watching fire,	1 00
Zebelon Dow, watching fire,	1 00
Cobb, Hayes & Co., one brush broom,	25
Cobb, Hayes & Co., sponges, etc.,	2 40
Henry Evans & Co., 100 feet tape,	1 65
W. E. Blaisdell, patrol duty,	2 00
George Randall, patrol duty,	2 00
Fred A. Hamilton, patrol duty,	2 00
Henry Evans & Co., one tree pruner,	1 00
A. Roseoe Tuttle, patrol duty,	2 00
F. H. Boston, painting,	1 75
Walter F. Varney, shoveling out hydrants,	6 15

Paid Twin State Gas & Electric Co., 12 lamps and 24 cross-arm pins,	\$ 4 38
John Orino & Co., hauling hose to fire,	1 00
H. C. Hanson, hauling men to brush fire,	1 00
H. L. Worcester, express,	3 45
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., six incandescents,	96
Clarence E. Jenkins, merchandise and labor,	8 49
Henry Evans & Co., 25 feet hose,	3 00
Fred S. Seavey, fireman nine months,	22 50
George F. Babb, team hire,	4 00
Linseott, Tyler, Wilson Co., fire whistle rental,	275 00
Rochester Carpet Co., rubber matting,	75
Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., zincs and coppers,	52 00
F. H. Boston, painting roof on fire station,	6 00
Rochester Lumber Co., lumber,	1 93
W. A. Hanscom, use of team on wires,	10 50
H. C. Hanson, testing hydrants,	13 50
W. A. Hanscom, winding whistle and work on hook and ladder truck,	15 00
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	3 02
George E. Greenfield, wood,	9 75
S. A. Stokes, blacksmith work,	3 55
M. E. Sterett, hauling hose to fires,	2 00
F. S. Grant, hauling hose to fires,	6 00
Pay-rolls, specials,	142 60
Henry Walker, hauling hose to fires,	4 15
C. W. Bradley, coal,	301 79
W. L. Richmond, merchandise and labor on fire alarm,	107 20
Pay-roll, Torrent Hose Co.,	302 50
Pay-roll, Cochecho Hose Co.,	325 00
Pay-roll, Ela Hose Co.,	355 00
Pay-roll, Chemical Hook and Ladder Co.,	325 00
Pay-roll, Harrington Hose Co.,	250 00

Paid Pay-roll, A. D. Whitehouse Hose Co.,	\$ 250 00
Eco Magneto Clock Co., repairs on generator,	5 45
Horace C. Hanson, chief engineer,	118 75
Charles E. Randall, 1st assistant engineer,	58 33
Leslie M. Seavey, 2nd assistant engineer,	58 33
Elmer E. Loud, 3rd assistant engineer,	39 58
Louis M. Richardson, 4th assistant engineer,	39 58
W. A. Hanscom, janitor fire station,	75 00
Highway Department, board of two horses nine and one-half months,	228 00
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	\$5,081 79

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### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$3,800 00
From C. E. Ricker, two old fire engines,	100 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., repairs on fire alarm boxes,	96 02
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	\$3,996 02
Transferred from street lights,	25 96
Transferred from salary department,	188 36
Transferred from state,	871 45
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	\$5,081 79

## REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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*To His Honor the Mayor and City Council:*

In rendering my report of the Rochester Fire Department, ending December 31, 1907, would state that there have been 23 bell calls; one at East Rochester, four at Gonic; 18 in the city. The engineers have responded to eight still alarms and two brush fires.

The amount of property involved was as follows: Valuation of buildings, \$149,750; insurance on same \$107,500; loss paid, \$3,224.78; contents valuation of \$91,963.30; insurance on same, \$71,400; loss paid, \$6,991.26.

There have been purchased and added to the equipment, one set of runners for hook and ladder truck, and there has been a track put in the house for same to run on; 500 feet of 2½ inch rubber lined double jacket hose, new hose reel for Torrent Company. The Ela hose wagon and Harrington hose wagon have been repainted and varnished, the hook and ladder truck has been revarnished, Cocheo house has been shingled.

I would recommend a permanently employed driver to stay at the central fire station for day and night duty, for quick attendance at fires within the city, also 1,000 feet of 2½ inch rubber lined double jacket hose, four new fire alarm boxes, which are greatly needed, one cellar pipe.

The cost of the Fire Department for the year will be found in the report of the committee on finance.

In behalf of the board of engineers, I will take this opportunity to extend our sincere thanks to all the members of the Fire Department for the promptness with which they have discharged their duties during the past year. We would also thank the members of the city government, who have rendered the department any assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. HANSON,

Chief Rochester Fire Department.

December 31, 1907.

### **Location of Fire Alarm Boxes.**

Boxes.

- 16 North Main street, corner Bridge street.
- 17 Main street, corner Congress street.
- 21 River street, corner Lafayette street.
- 23 Waldron avenue, corner Chestnut street.
- 25 North Main street, near Fairbanks' store.
- 27 North Main street, near S. H. Burnham's.
- 31 Wakefield street, near high school-house.
- 33 Hanson street, near Wrisley House.
- 34 Summer street, near Mrs. Roberts' stone house.
- 35 Portland street, near Brigham's store.
- 37 Silver street, near electric light station.
- 41 South Main street, near Wallaces' shop.
- 43 Upham street, near school-house.
- 47 Car barn, foot of Charles street.
- 52 Charles street, corner May street.
- 54 Charles street, corner Woodman street.

## Instructions to Citizens.

1. Upon the discovery of a fire, notice should be immediately communicated to the nearest alarm box, the keys to which are in the hands of all regular police, and in boxes near each alarm box.

2. Upon the discovery of a fire, or positive information of a fire, break the glass in the key box, pull down the hook once as far as it will go (without jerking), and then let go. Shut the door, but do not try to remove the key, as it is locked in a trap lock and can only be removed by a release key, which is carried by each engineer, who will, as soon as convenient, release and return it.

3. All persons giving fire alarms are requested to remain by the box a moment, and if no clicking is heard in the box, pull again; and if you still hear no clicking, go to the nearest box, procure a key, and give an alarm from that. Remember that the firemen will come directly to the box which has been pulled, and be sure that someone stays at the box to direct them to the fire.

4. *Never pull an alarm for a fire seen at a distance.*

Never touch a box except to give an alarm of fire.

Give an alarm for no cause other than actual fire.

*Don't give an alarm for a chimney fire.*

5. Owners and occupants of buildings are requested to inform themselves of the location of alarm boxes near their property. Be sure the alarm is promptly and properly given.

## **Signals.**

Two strokes of the bell is the all out signal.

Six strokes of the bell is for a brush fire, or a fire at a distance, where the fire department will be needed.

One stroke of the bell is the engineer's test.

The above signals are given only by the chief engineer.

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## **Inventory of Property.**

Three hose reels, two hose wagons, one hook and ladder truck, one combination chemical hook and ladder truck, one set of runners, three sleds for hose company, two sets of swing harnesses, rubber coats and hats for each company, four horse blankets, 5,500 feet of hose, five hydrant gates, ten play pipes, six three-gallon chemical extinguishers, 590 feet of ladders, one hand engine.



## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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Paid Foss & Andrews, oil.	\$1 44
Dr. L. L. Gilman, setting broken leg (Geo. Rowe),	25 00
State Industrial School, board,	84 00
Eco Magneto Clock Co., repairs on clock,	10 00
Peter Gagne, labor,	2 00
Rochester Water Works, one S. & W.,	75
Charles M. Bailey, merchandise,	5 50
F. W. Fifield & Co., mittimus blanks,	6 50
H. L. Worcester, services as justice,	2 00
Henry Evans & Co., merchandise,	10 23
A. L. Abbott, labor on wires,	5 25
Charles M. Bailey, eight batteries,	3 00
John W. Dame, material and labor,	1 70
Berry & Shorey, one vise,	2 50
Eco Magneto Clock Co., repairing generator,	1 50
C. S. Knowles, one generator,	5 00
The Record Co., 1,000 trustee writs,	9 00
A. L. Abbott, labor posting notices,	83
Dr. J. H. Neal, services rendered George Rowe,	5 00
Eco Magneto Clock Co., one generator and repairs,	6 25
Edmund R. Angell, analysis of beer,	26 30
Henry Evans & Co., one plane, six boxes tacks,	2 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., one roll tape,	25

Paid Edmund R. Angell, analysis of liquor,	\$ 9 00
A. F. Wilkinson, expenses to Portsmouth,	1 00
Charles M. Bailey, two batteries and two pails,	1 65
Henry Evans & Co., one pair plyers, one pair splicers,	2 40
Miscellaneous Department, use of mileage,	10 66
W. L. Richmond, 360 feet wire,	7 20
Ray's Detective Agency, detective service during fair,	38 83
A. F. Wilkinson, expenses at Concord twice,	2 50
H. Clifford Turner, services as justice,	9 00
C. H. Brigham, ten gallons oil,	1 30
John W. Dame, labor at lockup,	11 88
Hobbs & Warren Co., two juvenile dockets,	11 00
C. E. Junkins, repairing stove at lockup, and one torch,	1 10
William V. Elliott, special police work,	1 40
T. H. Gotts, special police work,	14 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting,	67 65
H. L. Worcester, express,	2 40
Venant Perreault, special police,	139 50
George W. Preston, special police,	59 00
Edwin F. Dame, special police,	1 00
Edward Josselyn, special police,	38 00
Fred M. Varney, special police,	3 00
W. O. Morrill, special police,	9 00
Cyrille Vachon, special police,	6 00
George E. Greenfield, wood,	61 75
C. R. Allen, lunches,	63 50
W. H. Carll, team hire,	41 50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	26 04
George F. Babb, team hire,	86 40

Paid Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, merchandise,	\$ 1 50
C. W. Lowe & Son, team hire,	6 75
W. L. Richmond, labor on police alarm,	17 40
J. O. Hayes, team hire,	12 00
Pay-rolls, specials,	280 50
D. Johnson & Co., lunches,	8 25
F. H. Osgood, team hire,	3 50
L. V. McGill, police judge,	383 05
H. L. Worcester, clerk police court,	100 00
Charles A. Allen, marshal,	750 00
A. F. Wilkinson, assistant marshal,	700 00
Ferdinand Sylvain, night watch,	700 00
Edrick M. Allen, police at Gonic,	100 00
Thomas H. Gotts, police at East Rochester,	50 00
William V. Elliott, police at East Rochester,	50 00
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	\$4,106 61
Transferred to highway,	339 46
Unexpended balance,	532 41
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	\$4,978 48

### Credit

By balance from 1906,	\$125 64
Appropriation,	3,500 00
From W. G. Bradley, use of telephone,	14
State liquor license,	824 99
Clerk of court fees,	36 34
Costs and fines,	491 37
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	\$4,978 48

## REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:*

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit the following report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1907:

### ARRESTS.

Number arrests.		188
Drunks,	119	
Keeping for sale,	22	
Selling cider,	1	
Larceny,	6	
Begging,	1	
Selling fruit on Lord's day,	1	
Breaking and entering,	2	
Assault,	12	
Forgery,	1	
Brawl and tumult,	3	
Breaking glass,	5	
Selling ice cream on Lord's day,	2	
Disorderly conduct,	1	
Bastardy,	1	
Insult,	2	
Gambling,	5	
Keeping disorderly house,	2	
Keeping for sale on Lord's day,	2	
	—	188

## DISPOSED OF AS FOLLOWS:

Settled,	43
Suspended,	31
Promised to pay,	13
Sent to house of correction,	52
Sent to jail,	10
Gave bonds,	24
Discharged,	11
Continued,	4
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	188

Amount of fines and costs collected by city marshal,	\$514 43
Received from superior court,	27 74
Balance due from 1906,	1 65

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	\$543 82
Witness fees and costs paid,	52 45
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	\$491 37
Paid treasurer,	\$491 37
Number of lodgers,	467
Doors found unlocked,	2

In addition to the cases enumerated, service for the year has included the investigation of many matters that have not been brought before the court, attending to many complaints and the devoting of much time in the effort to preserve order, to protect and enforce law in the punishment of offenders.

I am pleased to say that every officer under my command has been prompt and efficient in the discharge of his duty.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. ALLEN,

City Marshal.

## SALARIES.

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Paid W. G. Bradley, mayor,	\$400 00
H. L. Worcester, city clerk,	700 00
John L. Copp, treasurer,	150 00
S. D. Felker, city solicitor,	500 00
D. L. Stokes, city physician,	200 00
F. L. Keay, overseer of poor,	200 00
W. A. Hanscom, janitor,	540 00
S. W. Goodwin, sanitary officer,	58 32
C. E. Goodwin, sanitary officer,	291 68
J. B. Stevens, tax collector, on 1906 taxes,	433 69
J. B. Stevens, tax collector, on 1907 taxes,	400 00
John Young, assessor,	238 75
E. M. Sinclair, assessor,	221 25
Nahum Yeaton, assessor,	258 75
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## Ward Officers.

### WARD CLERKS.

<i>Ward One,</i>	Paid C. Garfield Hurd,	\$4 00
	Four jurors,	2 00
<i>Ward Two,</i>	Paid A. M. Horne,	4 00
	Four jurors,	2 00
<i>Ward Three,</i>	Paid Harvey D. Smith,	4 00
	Six jurors,	3 00
<i>Ward Four,</i>	Paid Edward P. Maxfield,	4 00
	Nine jurors,	4 50

<i>Ward Five,</i>	Paid Charles A. Jellerson,	\$ 4 00
	Six jurors,	3 00
<i>Ward Six,</i>	Paid A. H. Durgin,	4 00
	Nine jurors,	4 50
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		\$43 00

## SELECTMEN.

<i>Ward One,</i>	Paid William V. Elliott,	\$4 00
	John W. Clark,	4 00
	George W. Allen,	4 00
<i>Ward Two,</i>	Paid George M. Garland,	4 00
	Byron R. Young,	4 00
<i>Ward Three,</i>	Paid Arthur Gagnon,	4 00
	George H. Marsh,	4 00
	William Vickery,	4 00
<i>Ward Four,</i>	Paid John Perreault,	4 00
	Thomas Turmelle,	4 00
	J. Frank Reed,	4 00
<i>Ward Five,</i>	Paid C. W. Gerrish,	4 00
	W. J. Dunlap,	4 00
	H. Clifford Turner,	4 00
<i>Ward Six,</i>	Paid J. H. Paquette,	4 00
	Osceola F. Foss,	4 00
	Patrick Keating,	4 00
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		\$68 00

## MODERATORS.

<i>Ward One,</i>	Paid Albert L. Richards,	\$3 00
<i>Ward Two,</i>	Harlan P. Horne,	3 00
<i>Ward Three,</i>	James Holland,	3 00
<i>Ward Four,</i>	J. S. Norris,	3 00
<i>Ward Five,</i>	W. K. Kimball,	3 00
<i>Ward Six,</i>	C. E. Woodward,	3 00
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		\$18 00

## SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LISTS.

Paid O. A. Hoyt,	\$10 00
Charles S. Clark,	10 00
Archie J. Sylvain,	10 00
Clifford M. Hart,	10 00
Philius Larochelle,	10 00
Charles W. Wentworth,	10 00
N. T. Kimball,	10 00
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	\$70 00

## BALLOT INSPECTORS (1906).

Paid Henry Felker, one day,	\$2 00
Winslow Pugsley, one day,	2 00
George H. Marsh, one day,	2 00
William Lawlor, one day,	2 00
John C. Dillon, eleven hours,	2 20
William R. Gerrish, eleven hours,	2 20
James Hickey, eleven hours,	2 20
Edward H. Crotty, eleven hours,	2 20
Simcon Bergeron, seventeen hours,	3 40
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	\$20 20
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Total,	\$4,811 64
Transferred to fire department,	188 36
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	\$5,000 00

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**Credit.**

By appropriation,	\$5,000 00
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## INTEREST.

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Paid interest on notes No. 511,	\$5 25
“ 420,	157 13
“ 457,	52 50
“ 371,	7 40
“ 508,	1 92
“ 345,	18 00
“ 464,	17 50
“ 445,	49 86
“ 468,	12 07
“ 551,	5 14
“ 336, 337, 399,	197 31
“ 341,	30 00
“ 473,	68 07
“ 470,	58 27
“ 342,	16 50
“ 495,	7 00
“ 362, 363, 471,	185 50
“ 378,	3 00
“ 379,	4 50
“ 426,	87 50
“ 621,	25 37
“ 506,	3 50
“ 507,	3 50
“ 505,	5 25
“ 514, 449, 475, 429,	168 00
“ 384,	25 50
“ 517,	35 00

Paid interest on notes No. 382,	\$ 3 00
“ 383,	12 00
“ 450, 451,	70 00
“ 515,	17 50
“ 583,	675 00
“ 361,	60 00
“ 538,	3 50
“ 431,	112 35
“ 387,	30 00
“ 385, 386,	90 00
“ 521,	1 75
“ 516,	70 00
“ 519, 466, 479,	35 00
“ 520,	87 50
“ 522,	49 00
“ 525,	3 66
“ 528,	56 00
“ 350,	15 00
“ 387,	5 00
“ 385, 386,	15 00
“ 554,	17 28
“ 524,	32 72
“ 533, 534,	52 50
“ 510,	24 50
“ 537,	17 50
“ 409,	121 67
“ 584,	3 40
“ 488,	35 19
“ 486,	191 27
“ 487,	9 35
“ 595,	675 00
“ 453,	336 00
“ 523,	3 50
“ 526, 512, 527,	120 64

Paid interest on notes No. 512,	\$	1	10
“ 540,		7	00
“ 474,		9	71
“ 597,		450	00
“ 544,		35	00
“ 429,		35	00
“ 439,		52	50
“ 527,		4	72
“ 415, 417,		176	25
“ 436,		6	00
“ 427,		83	40
“ 481, 482, 483,		147	00
“ 511,		5	25
“ 553,		35	00
“ 550,		17	50
“ 552,		38	50
“ 529, 501, 500, 492,		275	56
“ 530, 502, 503, 493,		103	09
“ 403,		214	40
“ 580,		9	62
“ 556,		14	00
“ 444,		29	75
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			\$6,052 67

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### Credit.

By interest B. & M. R. R. stock,	\$56	00
Amount transferred from state,	5,996	67
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	\$6,052	67

## NOTES PAYABLE

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Notes outstanding Dec. 31, 1906,	\$121,820 72
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Notes issued 1907:

No. 558,	\$200 00
559,	200 00
560,	500 00
561,	200 00
562,	800 00
563,	100 00
564,	700 00
565,	650 00
566,	600 00
567,	100 00
568,	100 00
569,	100 00
570,	100 00
571,	75 00
572,	100 00
573,	5,000 00
574,	2,000 00
575,	1,000 00
576,	1,100 00
577,	100 00
578,	200 00
579,	2,100 00
580,	500 00
581,	200 00

## Notes issued 1907:

No. 583,	\$15,000 00
584,	500 00
585,	500 00
586,	100 00
587,	100 00
588,	1,350 00
589,	500 00
590,	2,000 00
591,	100 00
592,	1,000 00
593,	3,000 00
594,	100 00
595,	15,000 00
596,	500 00
597,	10,000 00
598,	675 00
599,	225 00
600,	2,000 00
601,	1,000 00
602,	200 00
603,	100 00
604,	3,000 00
605,	300 00
606,	100 00

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 \$195,895 72

## Notes paid, 1907:

No. 420, in full,	\$1,000 00
524, partial payment,	100 00
371, in full,	300 00
508, in full,	50 00
486, partial payment,	1,000 00
551, in full,	500 00

## Notes paid, 1907:

No. 487, partial payment.	\$ 100 00
336, in full.	2,500 00
337, in full.	2,000 00
399, in full.	5,000 00
524, partial payment.	400 00
473, in full.	650 00
487, partial payment.	50 00
468, partial payment.	50 00
525, in full.	100 00
387, in full.	1,000 00
385, in full.	1,000 00
386, in full.	2,000 00
554, in full.	750 00
524, in full.	500 00
468, partial payment.	100 00
584, in full.	500 00
488, in full.	1,000 00
487, partial payment.	50 00
426, partial payment.	1,000 00
409, partial payment.	500 00
474, partial payment.	40 00
429, in full.	2,000 00
527, in full.	350 00
427, in full.	400 00
403, in full.	5,000 00
580, in full.	500 00

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\$30,490 00

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\$165,405 72

Less amount hired on new water main, transferred to water department.

7,000 00

Notes outstanding, January 1, 1908.

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\$158,405 72

## SIDEWALK DEPARTMENT.

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Paid pay-rolls, labor,	\$316 50
Boston & Maine Railroad, 227 loads cinders,	56 75
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	\$373 25
Transferred to Highway Department,	126 75
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	\$500 00

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### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$500 00
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## SHADE TREES, PARKS AND COMMONS.

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Paid F. H. Boston, painting,	\$4 75
C. E. Goodwin, labor,	3 75
E. A. Cross, seventy-two geraniums,	10 00
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	6 28
Chalmers' Conservatories, wintering plants,	5 00
Henry Evans & Co., wire and paint,	79
Henry Evans & Co., one basket,	19
Henry Evans & Co., one pint oil, one lawn sprinkler,	1 20
Henry Evans & Co., twenty-five feet hose,	3 00
Walter Hislop, sharpening lawn mowers,	1 50
Charles H. Berry, mowing common,	3 00
C. E. Goodwin, mowing Woodman square,	5 25
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	\$44 71
Balance on hand,	55 17
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	\$99 88

## Credit.

By balance from 1906,	\$99 88
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## ADAMS FUND.

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The following named have received the benefit of the Adams Fund in 1907, each one receiving \$6.50:

Mrs. J. F. Dieker,	Mrs. Ann Quimby,
Martha D. Hayes,	Lydia C. McDuffee,
Grace V. Hussey,	Mrs. R. G. Sleeper,
Mrs. Hannah Wentworth	Betsey C. Clayton,
Sarah E. Tamer,	Helen A. E. Wilkinson,
Addie C. Palmer,	Ruth H. Philpot,
Mrs. Sarah J. Jackson,	Mrs. Elizabeth Chase,
Fannie G. Mace,	Mary J. Campbell,
Mary J. McDuffee,	Mrs. L. W. Foss,
Sarah A. Foss,	Mrs. Ruth T. Berry,
Mary Davidson,	Rebecca Brown,
Mary E. Webber,	Amanda J. Dame,
Sarah A. Randall,	Mrs. Sarah I. Durgin,
Mrs. C. H. Gile,	Mrs. Emeline Page,
Mrs. E. N. Blake,	Mrs. P. C. Sampson,
Sarah J. Abbott,	Mary J. Seavey,
Mrs. J. Danforth,	Mrs. Caroline M. Willey,
Mrs. Lucy Garland,	Lydia E. Jenness,
Sarah J. Canney,	Mrs. Sophy Apple,
Sarah A. Hurd,	Ellen F. Skelly,
Mrs. Peter Samson,	Elizabeth A. Hall,
Mrs. A. W. Deming,	Mrs. Eliza Bragdon,
Mrs. Lovey E. Howard.	

## DOG DEPREDACTIONS.

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Paid Mrs. Hattie Pray, one gander,	\$2 00
Charles W. Willand, one sheep,	3 00
Charles and George Torr, three sheep and two lambs,	13 00
Mrs. Mary Marsden, eight hens,	4 00
W. E. Blaisdell, two chickens,	1 00
Frank Smith, seventeen hens and one lamb,	11 50
Henry Wier, one sheep,	3 00
Charles Tebbetts, one sheep,	3 00
Oliver Hussey, one hen,	50
The Record Co., printing,	2 50
W. A. Hanscom, labor,	2 00
Transferred to School Department.	1,184 91
	<hr/> \$1,230 41
Balance on hand.	1,339 54
	<hr/> \$2,569 95

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## Credit.

By balance from 1906,	\$1,230 16
Received from licenses, 1907,	1,339 79
	<hr/> \$2,569 95

## SEWERAGE DEPARTMENT.

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Paid Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, four manhole frames and covers,	\$37 44
Harold L. Bond Co., re-steelng picks,	19 50
Sumner & Gerald, 200 feet pipe,	68 25
Charles M. Bailey, pipe,	6 00
Watson & Hayes, dynamite,	69
Portland Stone Ware Co., pipe,	189 31
W. H. Champlin, 2,205 feet two inch spruce,	55 13
Charles M. Bailey, one offset,	96
Fred W. Crocker, mason work,	65 08
Watson & Hayes, pipe,	17 85
I. Cushing, oil,	2 60
Harold L. Bond Co., diaphragms for two pumps,	3 60
Feineman Bros., two pairs rubber boots,	6 50
J. A. Morrill, hauling plank,	1 50
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, mer- chandise,	31 08
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	1 85
Thomas W. Peavey, drawing tileing,	13 95
Elliott Bros., brick,	134 00
J. O. Hayes, transporting workmen,	85 50
Watson & Hayes, six sledge handles,	1 20
C. E. Junkins, bottoming sewer pails,	7 00
F. H. Osgood, horse hire,	30 66
Highway Department, board of horse,	144 00
George Rankin, care of lanterns,	2 00
A. J. Sylvan, labor,	7 39

Paid George E. Greenfield, cement,	\$ 41 85
Joseph Labrie, labor,	40 50
Francis Messier, labor,	34 50
David Robillard, labor,	31 50
J. H. Duntley, blacksmith work,	1 00
Charles W. Bradley, cement,	7 05
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	28 42
Berry & Shorey, pipe,	36 43
George F. Babb, team hire,	40 60
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	66 41
Pay-rolls, labor,	1,353 27
L. E. Scruton, services as superintendent,	200 00
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	\$3,114 57

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### Credit.

By balance from 1906,	\$1,773 43
Sewer connections paid,	936 28
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	\$2,709 71
Amount from county,	404 86
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	\$3,114 57

## EXPENDITURE OF WATER WORKS ENDING DEC. 31, 1907.

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### Plumbing Account.

Paid Loring, Short & Harmon, plumbing book,	\$2 75
Chadwick-Boston Lead Co., lead,	23 79
Thompson Meter Co., meters,	403 20
Smith & Abbott Co., fixtures, etc.,	139 39
Crane Co., unions, etc.,	14 77
Charles M. Bailey, merchandise,	14 97
Sumner & Gerald, one mandrel for tapping machine,	4 00
Sumner & Gerald, merchandise,	89 50
Ludlow Valve Manufacturing Co., merchandise,	33 98
G. A. Hosmer Co., merchandise,	6 00
Smith & Abbott Co., pipe,	184 10
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, labor on wrench,	25
H. Mueller Manufacturing Co., twelve S. & W.,	15 53
Smith & Abbott Co., S. & W.,	4 73
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	1 42
Patrick Schoffel, labor,	21 00
Rensselaer Manufacturing Co., merchandise,	22 75
Rochester Gas Co., pipe,	7 70
Walworth Manufacturing Co., pipe, fixtures, etc.,	64 81
Charles Millar & Son Co., pipe,	26 15

Paid C. E. Jenkins, merchandise and labor,	\$ 4 85
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight,	10 15
David Robillard, labor,	52 20
Francis Messier, labor,	56 50
Joseph Labrie, labor,	53 75
Pay-rolls, labor,	176 37
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	\$1,434 61

### Construction of New Main.

Paid The Record Co., printing bids for pipe,	\$ 1 50
Courier Pub. Co., printing bids for pipe,	1 50
Fred D. Devous, labor,	9 00
Sumner & Gerald, oakum,	94 55
Harold L. Bond Co., shovels, hammers, chisels, etc.,	79 70
Harold L. Bond Co., three dozen picks,	30 00
J. H. Duntley, blacksmith work,	6 10
U. S. Construction & Supply Co., 100 pounds lead wool,	12 50
J. A. Morrill, hauling lead,	6 50
Fred P. Meader, carbon paper,	20
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	102 14
George E. Greenfield, coal and cement,	8 10
John W. Dame, lumber and labor,	79 54
L. E. Scruton, expenses to Utica, N. Y. and return,	30 10
Rochester Lumber Co., lumber,	172 60
Feineman Bros., rubber boots,	81 00
Rensselaer Mfg. Co., iron valves,	404 25
Harold L. Bond Co., merchandise,	7 10
J. A. Morrill, teaming to Italians' quarters,	9 90

Paid James Elliott, damage on account laying pipe	\$ 5 00
Paul Lane, mileage in search of men,	4 36
H. Mueller Mfg. Co., fourteen air vent cocks,	29 40
Harold L. Bond Co., one set tackle blocks,	5 95
Rochester Foundry and Machine Works, labor on gear,	75
Forrest L. Keay, services rendered workmen,	12 00
T. D. Wentworth Est., right of way across field,	5 00
Charles E. Ricker, 2,000 pounds scrap lead,	105 00
Charles M. Bailey, one 4-inch $\frac{1}{4}$ bend,	45
Rochester Lumber Co., hemlock boards,	1 60
E. A. Bickford, repairing boots,	1 50
I. Cushing, rolled oats,	25
George McClellan, land damage,	35 00
Maria E. Dyar, land damage,	50 00
Watson & Hayes, dynamite, etc.,	29 06
Frank S. Tompkins, recording deed,	72
Rensselaer Manufacturing Co., valves,	21 00
Charles Blazo, medical visits to Italians,	9 00
J. H. Neal, care of man's thumb,	14 00
H. Mueller Manufacturing Co., pipe cutter,	44 00
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, tapping pipe,	3 25
O. A. Hoyt, services paying Italians,	35 00
Dover Water Works, pipe,	230 90
Rensselaer Manufacturing Co., one check valve,	45 00
J. A. Morrill, use of teams,	18 50
John L. Copp, extra labor on pay rolls,	25 00
George F. Babb, team hire,	205 40
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	6 65
David Robillard, labor,	30 00
Joseph Labrie, labor,	18 00
J. A. Morrill, hauling pipe,	1,008 00

Paid Chadwick-Boston Lead Co., lead,	\$ 2,678 57
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	2,902 27
Charles Millar & Son Co., pipe,	30,463 33
Pay rolls, labor,	9,449 00
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	\$48,629 19

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### Construction Account.

Paid Charles M. Bailey, pipe and one union,	\$ 13 31
Charles Millar & Son Co., pipe,	229 43
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	38 41
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, one sleeve, 1	19
Ludlow Valve Manufacturing Co., three	
hydrants,	80 25
J. H. Duntley, blacksmith work,	6 85
Fred A. Houdlette & Son, pipe,	187 45
David Robillard, labor,	11 50
Francis Messier, labor,	11 50
Pay rolls, labor,	279 77
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	\$859 66

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### Maintenance Account.

Paid The Bristol Co., 400 recording charts,	\$ 3 00
Harold L. Bond Co., merchandise,	5 60
Rochester Lumber Co., lumber,	2 63
Wadsworth, Howland & Co., merchandise,	4 36
F. W. Fifield & Co., pay-roll blanks,	4 50
Coffin Valve Co., two hydrants,	56 00
S. A. Stokes, blacksmith work,	1 00



Paid Frank H. Boston, painting wagon,	\$ 10 00
O. B. Warren, envelopes,	42 40
J. H. Duntley, blacksmith work,	1 30
Hobbs & Warren Co., cash book,	2 00
Guy E. Chesley, medicine for horse,	2 50
Charles M. Bailey, sealing scales,	75
Charles M. Bailey, merchandise,	58
F. W. Fifield & Co., jackets,	1 50
Courier Pub. Co., printing notice,	1 50
The Record Co., printing notice,	1 75
The Record Co., 2,000 letter heads,	4 75
Tony Valpo, labor,	21 00
Berry & Shorey, three lantern globes,	30
Builders Iron Foundry, merchandise,	25 00
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, labor on gates,	50
T. W. Osgood, two bottles ink, one tin box,	60
Town of Barrington, taxes,	153 14
Town of Strafford, taxes,	17 92
Lizzie F. Parsons, rent of stable,	12 00
A. J. Sylvan, labor,	9 91
Highway Department, board of horse one year, (1906),	144 00
Boston & Maine R. R., cost repairing, track,	52 26
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting,	90
H. L. Woreester, express,	1 40
David Robillard, labor,	58 85
M. H. Plummer, merchandise,	13 40
J. Paul Trickey, labor,	6 00
I. Cushing, oil and salt,	2 65
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	2 12
John W. Dame, lumber and labor,	18 88
Watson & Hayes, merchandise,	2 58

Paid George F. Babb, team hire,	\$ 2 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	1 07
W. L. Richmond, merchandise and labor,	16 84
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	9 91
Francis Messier, labor,	117 85
Harry A. Roberts, blacksmith work,	13 01
Pay Rolls, labor,	310 60
L. E. Scruton, salary as superintendent,	800 00
H. L. Worcester, salary as clerk,	350 00
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	\$2,310 81

### Receipts of Water Works.

1907 water rates collected,	\$16,648 15
Additional water rates, 1907,	36 33
1906 water rates collected,	1,358 17
1905 water rates collected,	32 06
Plumbing bills, 1907,	560 68
Previous plumbing bills,	133 13
Construction bills, 1907,	164 57
Previous construction bills,	201 68
Miscellaneous bills collected, 1907,	66 62
Previous miscellaneous bills,	9 30
Sale of grass at reservoir,	5 00
Received from circus,	7 50
Interest on sewer bonds,	43 75
Sewer bonds matured,	1,700 00
Interest on city notes,	411 71
City notes taken up,	14,500 00
Money hired to lay new main,	7,000 00
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	\$42,878 65
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1907,	31,818 45
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	\$74,697 10

## Expenditures.

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Plumbing account,	\$1,434 61
Maintenance account,	2,310 81
Construction account,	49,488 85
Interest on water bonds,	6,800 00
	<hr/> \$60,034 27 <hr/>

Cash on hand uninvested Jan. 1, 1908,	\$14,662 83
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Of this amount \$14,471 19 is in the hands of the treasurer, and \$191 64 in clerk's hands.

Amount invested in sewer bonds held by treasurer, Jan. 1, 1908,	\$800 00
Amount of water bonds outstanding Jan. 1, 1908,	\$170,000 00
Amount of notes outstanding on account of new water main,	7,000 00
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Total indebtedness,	\$177,000 00

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This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Clerk of the water works for the year 1907 and believe the foregoing statement to be a true and correct statement, Jan. 1, 1908.

ORRIN A. HOYT,

*Auditor.*

## Clerk of Water Board in Account With Rochester Water Works.

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### DEBIT.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1907,	\$168 65
1907 water rates collected,	16,648 15
Additional water rates, 1907,	36 33
1906 water rates collected,	1,358 17
1905 water rates collected,	32 06
Plumbing bills, 1907,	560 68
Previous plumbing bills,	133 13
Construction bills, 1907,	164 57
Previous construction bills,	201 68
Miscellaneous bills collected, 1907,	66 62
Previous miscellaneous bills,	9 30
Grass at reservoir,	5 00
Received from circus,	7 50
Interest on sewer bonds,	43 75
Sewer bonds matured,	1,700 00
Interest on city notes,	411 71
City notes taken up,	14,500 00
Money hired to lay new main,	7,000 00
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	\$43,047 30

### CREDIT.

Paid treasurer,	\$42,855 66
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1907,	191 64
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	\$43,047 30

## SUNDRY EXPENDITURES.

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### Free Public Library and Reading Room.

Paid John L. Copp,	\$2,900 00
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#### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$2,900 00
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### Street Lights.

Paid Twin State Gas & Electric Co.,	\$6,566 04
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Transferred to Browntail moths,	8 00
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Transferred to fire department,	25 96
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	\$6,600 00
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#### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$6,600 00
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### Sampson Post, G. A. R.

Paid John Pugsley, Q. M.,	\$150 00
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#### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$150 00
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### East Rochester Library and Reading Room.

Paid E. M. Sinclair, treasurer,	\$200 00
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#### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$200 00
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### County of Strafford.

Paid county tax,	\$10,493 54
Transferred to miscellaneous department,	251 94
Transferred to sewerage department,	404 86
Transferred to school department,	365 82
Transferred to brown tail moths,	56 51
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	\$11,572 67

#### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$11,572 67
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### Special Appropriation to Heat East Rochester Engine House.

Paid Charles M. Bailey, one furnace,	\$150 00
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#### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$150 00
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### State of New Hampshire.

Paid State tax,	\$10,155 00
Transferred to school department,	776 53
Transferred to fire department,	871 45
Transferred to interest,	5,996 67
Balance used towards city debt,	1,090 46
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	\$18,890 11

#### Credit.

By insurance tax,	\$127 50
Railroad tax,	3,562 14
Savings bank tax,	14,388 38
Literary tax,	776 53
Building & Loan association tax,	35 56
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	\$18,890 11

### Special Appropriation for Horses.

Paid Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	\$9 50
Wheeler, McElveen & Co., one pair horses,	540 00
Frank H. Boston, expenses in search of horses,	15 96
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	\$565 46
Transferred to highway department.	84 54
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	\$650 00
<b>Credit.</b>	
By appropriation,	\$650 00

### Brown Tail Moths.

Paid pay rolls, labor,	\$82 81
Herbert Weare, labor,	4 50
C. E. Goodwin, labor,	36 60
S. W. Goodwin, labor,	1 27
Arthur Horne, labor,	36 00
Berry & Shorey, one tree pruner, and rope,	1 83
George F. Babb, team hire,	1 50
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	\$164 51

### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$100 00
Amount from county,	56 51
Amount from street lights,	8 00
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	\$164 51

### John Moore Cemetery Fund.

Paid J. W. Ballou, labor on cemetery lots.	\$6 00
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### Credit.

By income from John Moore fund,	\$6 00
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### Repairs on Allen School Building.

Paid sewerage department, connecting sewer,	\$24 78
Water department, connecting water,	22 83
	<hr/> \$47 61
Unexpended balance,	1,052 39
	<hr/> \$1,100 00

### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$1,100 00
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### Macadam.

Paid G. A. Priestley, labor on roller,	\$24 85
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works,	
labor on roller and merchandise,	57 68
Charles W. Bradley, coal and cement,	134 75
Pay rolls, labor,	857 35
	<hr/> \$1,074 63
Unexpended balance,	1,041 05
	<hr/> \$2,115 68

### Credit.

By appropriation,	\$2,107 68
Amount from town of Lebanon, use of roller,	8 00
	<hr/> \$2,115 68





NEW CITY BUILDING.

[Courtesy of Boston Globe.]



### New City Hall.

Paid L. E. Scruton, survey and plans of city lot,	\$10 00
Water department, labor on batter boards,	3 00
G. G. Adams, architectural services,	620 00
George E. Greenfield, lime and cement,	30 75
Elliot Bros., 5,000 brick,	40 00
Water department, connecting water,	63 70
Sewerage department, connecting sewer,	53 01
Fred W. Crocker, building clean outs,	21 10
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, five cesspool frames and covers,	15 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	85
L. E. Scruton, surveys for grades, etc.,	10 00
S. A. Stokes, blacksmith work,	2 50
H. L. Worcester, express,	35
Farrell Bros., on contract,	800 00
Walworth Construction & Supply Co., on contract for heating,	2,455 93
Maguire, Penniman Co., on contract,	28,714 44
Maguire, Penniman Co., extra of contract,	263 72
Horton & Hemenway, on contract,	8,114 76
	<hr/> \$41,219 11
Unexpended balance,	27,317 29
	<hr/> \$68,536 40

### Credit.

By balance from 1906,	\$63,528 40
Additional appropriation,	5,000 00
Amount from Merritt & Jarvis for brick used on arch.	8 00
	<hr/> \$68,536 40

## CITY CLERK'S REPORT.

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### Debit.

Amount received on account of notes,	\$74,075 00
Sewerage,	936 28
Clerk's fees,	174 47
Schools,	468 82
Interest,	56 00
Highway,	57 77
Police,	527 85
Macadam,	23 00
Licenses,	164 00
State liquor license,	824 99
State tax,	18,890 11
Sundry bills,	44 38
Rent of East Rochester hall,	113 66
For old ell and barn at city hall,	55 00
Two old fire engines,	100 00
D. S. & R. St. Ry. Co., account of concrete,	605 53
Twin State Gas & Elec- tric Co., account of repairing fire alarm boxes,	96 02
John Moore cemetery fund,	6 00
Water department, board of horses,	144 00
Sewerage department, board of horses,	144 00

Amount received, Fire department, board of horses,	\$ 228 00
Tax collector, (1907),	68,441 17
Tax collector, (1906),	15,640 99
Dog licenses,	1,339 79
Amount in clerk's hands Dec. 31, 1906,	66 17
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Total Receipts,	\$183,223 00

### Credit.

Paid treasurer,	\$183,201 20
Cash in city clerk's hands, Jan. 1, 1908,	21 80
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	\$183,223 00
Amount on hand on account of rent of E. R. Hall,	\$7 50
Clerk's fees,	9 30
Miscellaneous department,	5 00
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	\$21 80

## Inventory of City Clerk's Office.

- 1 oak roll top desk. (Mayor's)
- 1 oak standing desk.
- 1 9-foot office table.
- 2 3-6 office tables.
- 1 chair, swivel. (Mayor's)
- 1 tall desk chair.
- 9 chairs.
- 1 stool.
- 3 cabinets for blanks.
- 1 atlas of New Hampshire.
- 1 Register of New Hampshire Soldiers and Sailors in War of Rebellion.
- 25 copies New Hampshire Reports Supreme Court.
- 1 copy Cushing's Parliamentary Practice.
- 1 copy Public Statutes, 1901.
- 1 copy Session Laws of 1901, 1903, 1905.
- 1 copy Justice and Sheriff.
- 1 copy Town Officers.
- 2 copies Morrison's Digest.
- 33 copies Reports of New Hampshire.
- 20 copies Miscellaneous books.
- 1 Directory.
- 1 oak cabinet for index vital statistics.
- 1 small filing case, six boxes.
- 8 bill files.
- 1 Shannon letter file.
- 1 Remington typewriter.
- 1 United States flag.
- 4 ink wells.

- 1 quart ink.
  - 1 mucilage bottle.
  - 1 numbering stamp. (for checks)
  - 1 check perforator. (worthless)
  - 1 envelope case.
  - 1 sponge cup.
  - 1 stamp rack and rubber stamps.
  - 1 dating stamp.
  - 3 post office boxes.
  - 1 hammer.
  - 2 ink pads for rubber stamp.
  - 1 letter press, book and brush.
  - 1 clock.
  - 1 mirror.
  - 1 map.
  - 1 city seal.
  - 1 seal of water works.
  - 1 punch.
  - 2 waste baskets.
  - 2 document cases.
  - 1 lamp.
  - 1 pair office shears.
  - 1 Edison's mimeograph.
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## **Tax Collector's Inventory of City Property.**

- 2 office chairs.
- 4 common chairs.
- 1 three-foot office table.
- 1 six-foot office table.
- 1 key safe.

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE  
CITY OF ROCHESTER, N. H.,  
For the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1907.**

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RECEIPTS.

Balance January 1, 1907,	\$35,880 73
Water works,	42,855 66
City clerk's fees,	167 67
Taxes, 1906,	14,568 99
Taxes, 1907,	69,513 17
State,	18,890 11
Police costs and fines,	506 64
Police clerk's fees,	36 34
Notes,	74,075 00
Interest,	56 00
Miscellaneous,	\$5,195 24
	<hr/> \$261,745 55

EXPENDITURES.

Highway,	\$10,835 06
Sidewalks,	373 27
Macadamizing,	1,074 63
Sanitary sewerage,	3,136 17
Street lights,	6,018 87
Water works,	59,819 27
School department,	25,364 56
City poor,	1,070 21



Soldiers' aid, city,	\$ 403 57
Salary,	4,525 39
Police,	4,113 07
Fire,	4,935 15
Notes and interest,	43,542 66
City bonds,	6,500 00
City coupons,	2,140 97
Miscellaneous,	69,296 93
Health,	91 98
Balance January 1, 1908,	18,503 79
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	\$261,745 55

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. COPP,

*City Treasurer.*

### Adams Fund.

Balance Jan. 1, 1907,	\$303 62
Received income,	378 81
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	\$682 43

Paid applicants as per provision of fund,	\$295 00
Balance Jan. 1, 1908,	387 43
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	\$682 43

### Dog License.

Balance Jan. 1, 1907,	\$1,222 09
Received income,	1,376 95
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	\$2,599 04
Paid dog depredations,	\$45 00
Paid school department,	1,184 91
Balance Jan. 1, 1908,	1,369 13
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	\$2,599 04

### Old Cemetery Fund.

Received income to be expended on cemetery at large	\$92 69
Income to be expended on lots,	66 27
Carried to emergency fund,	24 71
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	\$183 67

Paid Rochester Cemetery association:	
Amount expended on cemetery at large,	\$92 69
Amount expended on lots,	66 27
Carried to emergency fund,	24 71
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	\$183 67

EXPENDED ON LOTS AS FOLLOWS FOR LABOR, GRASS SEED  
AND FERTILIZER.

Noah Tebbetts,	\$7 83
Farrington and McDuffee,	7 83
Joseph and D. Hanson,	9 13
Richardson and Barnard,	3 26
Benjamin and George Barker,	45
David Barker,	45
Chapman lot,	45
March lot,	45
Charles Dennett,	1 30
J. H. Woodman,	6 52
Hatville Knight,	45
E. Hammett,	1 30
W. Chase,	1 30
E. Whitehouse,	6 52
Nathaniel Upham,	3 59
Joseph Warren and George Robinson,	1 30
Moses Hale,	6 52
David Hayes,	2 60
Enoch P. Whitehouse,	1 30
George Corson,	1 12
John Hayes and Mehitable Whitehouse,	2 60
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	\$66 27

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. COPP,

*Treasurer.*

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS.

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*To the Committee on Water Works:*

Gentlemen:—Herewith is submitted my second and the sixteenth annual report of the superintendent of water works.

During this year a new sixteen-inch main was laid from the dam at the reservoir to the city, and connections made to the distribution system at Charles and Knight streets, at which point the main was reduced to 12 inches and extended through Knight street, and another connection made to the 12-inch main on South Main street. Work was begun laying May 1st, and completed, and in full operation Oct. 5, 1907. Total length of new main is 20,072 feet, or 3.8 miles. On this line are located seven blow-off and six air valves, so that the line can be kept clear of any sediment or air which may collect in the pipes, and keep the full capacity of the line available at all times. The test given the system after the completion of the new main gave entire satisfaction to the insurance underwriters, who had representatives on the ground at the time, and the results were all that was claimed in my report of 1907. Since the new main has been in operation, water in the stand-pipe at Adams corner has been maintained at the height of the water in the reservoir, and East Rochester has had an ample supply, which is a condition that did not exist before.

A 6-inch main has been laid from the end of pipe in Linscott, Tyler and Wilson's yard across the B. & M. R. R. property and through the property of the New England Cotton Yarn Company, connecting with the 6-inch main at the north end of Allen street, and a new hydrant installed in the Cotton Yarn Company's lumber yard, giving a much needed better fire service in this locality. A new 6-inch main was also laid from Leonard street, across to the easterly end of Autumn street, and a new hydrant placed in the lumber yard of the Rochester Lumber Co.

Following is the amount of pipe laid, gates and fire hydrants set, new services laid, etc.:

#### FEET MAIN PIPE LAID, 1907.

Main line from reservoir, 16-inch.	19,045
Main line from reservoir, 12-inch.	1,033
Main line from reservoir, 4-inch blow off's.	42
Linscott, Tyler & Wilson's to Allen street, 6-inch.	406
Leonard to Autumn street, 6-inch.	192
Pearl street, 1-inch.	185
Bradley court, 1-inch.	197
Stewart's court, 1-inch.	196
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Total feet mains laid in 1907.	21,296
Total feet mains laid to date.	158,915
Total miles mains laid to date.	30.1

## FEET SERVICE PIPE LAID, 1907.

3 $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch,	1,109.5
1-inch,	92.5
2-inch,	80
3-inch,	96
4-inch,	95
Total feet service pipe laid, 1907,	1,472
Total feet service pipes relaid, 1907,	1,184
New services put in during year,	32
Old services relaid during year,	22
Number of services to date,	1,407
Gates set during year:	
16-inch,	3
12-inch,	4
6-inch,	2
4-inch,	8
2-inch,	2
1-inch,	3
New hydrants set during year,	3
Old hydrants replaced by new,	1
Total number hydrants to date,	178
Hydrants repaired during year,	5
Gates repaired during year,	4
Leaks in main pipe repaired,	7
Leaks in service pipe repaired,	12
Meters set during year,	16
Meters repaired during year,	5
Meters taken out,	3
Meters in use to date,	116

Respectfully submitted,

L. E. SCRUTON,

*Superintendent.*

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS.

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### *To Committee on Sewers:*

Gentlemen:—The annual report of the superintendent of sewers is herewith submitted.

The sewers are all in good working order and have been flushed twice during the year. New sewers were laid in East Rochester, on part of Portland, Walnut, and Highland streets, where they were much needed, and Bradley and Stewart's courts were also sewered in Rochester.

The system now covers nearly all of the thickly settled parts of Rochester and East Rochester, except that part of Portland street from Hobart avenue east, and the streets leading from it. To sewer this section properly would cost about \$3,250.00.

Following is summary of the amount of construction done during the year:

#### FEET MAIN PIPE LAID DURING YEAR

Portland street, East Rochester, 15-inch,	433
Walnut street, East Rochester, 12-inch,	525.5
Walnut street, East Rochester, 10-inch,	300
Highland street, East Rochester, 8-inch,	150.5
Highland street, East Rochester, 6-inch,	291.0
Stewart's court, Rochester, 6-inch,	200
Bradley court, Rochester, 6-inch,	155
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Total feet main pipe laid, 1907.	2,054.5
Total feet main pipe laid to date,	88,966.5
Manholes built during year,	7

## CONNECTIONS PUT IN DURING YEAR.

Rochester.	28
East Rochester.	13
Total during year.	51
Total to date.	949

Respectfully submitted,

L. E. SCRUTON.

*Superintendent.*



## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of  
Rochester:*

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit herewith the report of the highway department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1907.

Among the permanent improvements we have made this year is the macadamizing of a part of the new road to East Rochester, also a part of Main and Bridge streets. This work required 800 loads of stone, that were all well rolled by the use of the steam roller. On the south end of Charles street, we had the Electric Co. raise their railway about one foot. We then raised the street by grading both sides of their track. In doing this work we had to use 900 loads of clay, and 150 loads of gravel. During the past year many of the streets about the city have been repaired with the road machine, and some highways have been entirely rebuilt in outside districts.

The following is a report more in detail of this part of our work, viz.: Streets turnpiked: Wakefield, Charles, Union, North Main, South Main, Portland and Lowell.

Outside of city: Washington street, Chestnut hill road, Rochester hill road, Milton road, part of East Rochester road, Railroad avenue (Gonic), Barrington road from Gonic.

Number of days' service with road machine in road building about the city and outskirts, 39.

There has been ten or twelve miles of bushes cut this year.

Replanked several small bridges, and built a new top on one-half of the bridge at East Rochester. We have rebuilt twenty or more culverts.

In grading sidewalks, we used cinders on the following streets:

- 1,000 feet on Jackson street.
- 400 feet on Hancock street.
- 400 feet on Spruce street.
- 200 feet on Logan street.
- 500 feet on Charles street.
- 800 feet on Portland street.
- 400 feet on Leonard street.

In doing this work we used 350 loads of cinders.

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### **Property of Highway Department.**

- 1 stone crusher.
- 1 steam road roller.
- 3 sets two-horse sleds.
- 3 sets double harness.
- 2 two-horse dump carts.
- 1 pair wheels.
- 6 small shovels.
- 3 plows, old.
- 6 post-hole spoons.
- 2 cross-cut saws.
- 1 hand roller.
- 1 jack screw.
- 3 striking hammers.
- 2 monkey wrenches.

- 2 road machines.
- 1 boiler and engine.
- 8 horses.
- 1 set one-horse sleds.
- 5 single harness.
- 1 stone barge.
- 5 picks.
- 6 coal shovels.
- 6 chains.
- 6 crowbars.
- 3 sets fall blocks and ropes.
- 7 lanterns, with red globes.
- 12 hand drills.
- 3 sledges.
- 10 snow ploughs.
- 6 hoes.
- 3 turf diggers.
- 2 long-handled shovels.
- 5 steel rakes.
- 3 brush scythes and snathes.
- 4 street blankets.
- 3 horse brushes.
- 1 wagon jack.
- 1 hand saw.
- 1 brush axe.
- 3 grub hoes.
- 2 pitchforks.
- 6 stable blankets.
- 3 curry combs.
- 3 mane brushes.
- 2 axes, old.
- 2 spread chains.

## Surface Sewers.

We have laid 500 feet of 8-inch sewer pipe on east side of railroad track, extending from Winter street to South Main street, and some on Portland street. Manholes built on Portland, Winter and South Main streets, where sewer was laid.

At Gonic we laid 100 feet of 8-inch pipe on Railroad avenue, and put in two drops.

Respectfully submitted.

GEORGE T. McDUFFEE.

*Superintendent of Streets.*

## REPORT OF TREE WARDEN.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:*

I herewith submit to you my report for the year ending December 31, 1907.

Owing to the large number of brown-tail moth nests on the trees this year, and the small appropriation, which was only about one-half enough to do the work, there have not been any new trees planted and but little trimming done this year, owing to lack of funds for that purpose.

C. E. GOODWIN,

*Tree Warden.*

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

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*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

Following is a list of those receiving aid and the amount furnished each applicant, for the year ending December 31, 1907.

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### Dependent Soldiers' Aid.

J. W. Hall,	\$72 00
Walter Ellis,	52 50
Henry C. Stevens,	22 50
Mrs. J. A. Wilkinson,	76 07
John Billings,	60 00
Charles A. Rust,	44 00
Oliver Hussey,	5 00
David Corson,	60 00
John S. Colbath,	24 25
Charles H. Wills,	9 00
Mrs. Bridget Cotter,	5 00
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	\$430 32

**City Poor.**

Alex McDonald,	\$126 00
Grace V. Hussey,	169 80
Mrs. E. A. Bragdon,	101 00
John H. Downing,	104 00
Alexander Piercy,	81 00
Albert Hartford's boy,	85 50
Thomas Markey,	16 25
Arthur Otis,	19 50
Carl Freeman,	19 50
Mrs. Helen Wilkinson,	32 00
Sarah J. Durgin,	14 00
Mrs. Joanna Decker,	24 00
Mrs. Adolph Messier,	30 00
Mrs. Patrick Lone,	36 00

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 \$858 55

Total amount expended,	\$1,288 87
Appropriation for 1907,	1,400 00
Amount left unexpended,	111 13

Respectfully submitted,

F. L. KEAY, .

*Overseer of Poor.*

## REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

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*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

We herewith submit to you our report for the year ending December 31, 1907.

Contagious or infectious diseases reported,	247	cases
Measels,	181	
Scarlet fever,	17	
Diphtheria,	4	
Typhoid fever,	13	
Number of deaths from contagious or infectious diseases,	9	
Typhoid fever,	2	
Tuberculosis,	7	
Number of deaths from every cause,	120	
Population in 1900,	8,466	
Estimated population in 1907,	9,000	
Death rate for population, 1900,	14	246-1411
Death rate per estimated population, 1907,	13	1-3
Number of calls to sick by health officer,	490	
Complaints of nuisances,	25	
Dead animals buried,	11	
Houses fumigated,	32	

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY L. STOKES,  
FORREST L. KEAY,  
CHARLES E. GOODWIN.

*Board of Health of Rochester, N. H.*



## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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Paid R. DeWitt Burnham, merchandise,	\$43 87
A. Perley Fitch, sealing paper,	6 00
H. D. Champion & Co., groceries,	10 66
Charles M. Bailey, four pails,	1 60
George E. Greenfield, wood,	6 00
Cobb, Hayes & Co., antitoxin,	5 00
Courier Publishing Co., measles cards,	2 50
Courier Publishing Co., vaccination certificates,	2 00
Courier Publishing Co., scarlet fever cards,	4 50
Courier Publishing Co., burial permits,	7 75
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	\$89 88
Unexpended balance,	\$144 77
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	\$234 65

## Credit.

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By balance from 1906.	\$234 65
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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

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### Debit.

Outstanding notes,	\$165,405 72
Sewer bonds,	58,500 00
Water bonds,	170,000 00
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	\$393,905 72

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### Credit.

Amount due on collector's list,	\$16,133 76
Boston & Maine R. R. Stock,	800 00
Cash in city clerk's hands,	21 80
Cash in treasurer's hands exclusive of money belonging to water department,	4,032 70
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	\$20,988 26
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	\$372,917 46
Less water bonds,	\$170,000 00
Less water notes,	7,000 00
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	177,000 00
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Net debt,	\$195,917 46

**Collector's List.**

1907.

Amount given for collection,	\$85,611 60
Added list,	33 86
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	\$85,645 46
Paid treasurer,	\$68,441 17
Discounts allowed,	364 39
Abatements allowed,	706 14
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	\$69,511 70
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Balance due on 1907 list,	\$16,133 76

1906.

Amount due Jan. 1, 1907, on 1906 list,	\$15,561 72
Added list since Jan. 1, 1907,	37 08
Interest collected,	459 99
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	\$16,058 79
Paid treasurer,	\$15,640 99
Abatements allowed,	417 80
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	\$16,058 79

This is to certify that I have examined all the accounts of the City of Rochester in the several departments for the year 1907 and they are correctly cast and properly vouched, and the foregoing financial statement I believe to be a correct statement.

ORRIN A. HOYT,

*Auditor.*

Rochester, January 10, 1908.

The above statement does not include the Adams and Old Cemetery funds nor the dog depredations accounts.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

OF THE

Rochester Public Library,

1907.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Rochester Public Library, December 28, 1907, it was voted that the report of the secretary, librarian and treasurer be presented to the city council as the annual report of the trustees for the year 1907.

## REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

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*To the Honorable Council of the City of Rochester:*

Gentlemen:—As required by the city ordinance, the trustees of the Rochester Public Library submit the fourteenth annual report, also the librarian's and treasurer's report, for the year ending December 31, 1907.

It is gratifying to the trustees to report a steady increase in the circulation, which is an evidence that the citizens appreciate the library. The number of volumes delivered for home reading during the year exceeds that of the year previous about eighteen hundred. We are also pleased to notice the increased interest in the juvenile department. Seventy-five dollars of the interest from the Jennie Farrington Annex fund was used the past year for the purchase of useful and inspiring books, also a series of pictures have been displayed on the bulletin board during the year. It is the purpose to make this room an ideal one for the children. It is the intention of the trustees to put forth every effort to give the citizens as good service as is received by those residing in large cities where the funds available for library work are much larger than our own.

We would call your attention to the financial report, showing the expenditures for the year—\$3,197.40. If the appropriation had been sufficient, we would have printed the supplementary catalogue, but the lack of funds would not warrant it at this time. In order to keep the building

in proper repair some painting will have to be done during the coming year. It is pleasing to hear the many compliments received from visitors to our library in regard to our building, and also in commendation of our system and work. In order to continue our present standard the trustees ask for an appropriation of not less than \$3,000. This institution is as yet without the endowments of many other public libraries, but we hope there may be found among our public spirited citizens some who will recognize the importance of the public library to our city and add to our fund which, at present, is limited to the single bequest, \$1,000, of the Jennie Farrington Annex fund. For the last three years the interest of this fund has purchased books for the juvenile department. A card is placed on each book showing that it was purchased by this fund. We hope that some one will be found who will make a bequest to the library so that the interest may be used for the purchase of books for the adult department.

The trustees take pleasure in testifying to the valuable services rendered by the librarian and the assistants.

JOHN YOUNG,

*Secretary.*

Rochester, N. H., December 28, 1907.



*To the Trustees of the Rochester Public Library:*

Gentlemen:—It has been estimated that the circulation of a library is only one third of the actual use by the community. This fact, with our records of circulation, shows a decided increase in the work of the year. At the central library there has been a gain of 1,832 in the number of books given out, and 59 at East Rochester, while the decrease of 224 at Gonie brings the net gain down to 1,667. Three hundred and eighty new borrowers have registered; making the entire number holding cards, 3,477.

Eight hundred and thirty-nine volumes have been added during the year. Of this number, two hundred and eleven were new books purchased. Forty-six were bought to replace books lost, injured, or worn out, 22 were bought as duplicates of volumes in the library, 128 purchased from the Jennie Farrington fund, 67 added by the binding of magazines which had already done duty on the reading tables and circulated several months, and 341 were gifts. The number of books lost or injured and worn out during the year, 37. Making a gain to the library of 802. The entire number being 11,168. This does not include quantities of unaccessioned pamphlets.

The children's department supplies the children of the city with useful and inspiring literature, as well as story books and the prettiest fairy tales. It is not an uncommon thing to have nearly every chair occupied during certain hours of the day. At such times we wish that the room might be shut off from the rest of the building, that the restless feet and mischievous hands need not be so carefully watched and books and other things could be talked over without disturbing older readers. The entire number of books given out from this room, 11,449. The number of readers, 4,784, a gain of 159 over last year. One hundred and twenty-eight books have been bought for the

children during the year. These and, in fact, all books for this department for the last three years have been purchased from the interest of the Jennie Farrington fund. During the summer Conrad and Leslie Snow loaned their very interesting collection of moths and butterflies. These were placed in the children's room and aroused much interest among the young folks as well as the adults. The woman's club, through the efforts of Mrs. M A. Safford, again allowed the use of the Audubon bird charts.

The agencies have continued in their good work, accommodating the few books to the large number of people who want them. Eight hundred and twenty-five books have been sent to Gonic, 75 each month, and the reports show a circulation of 1,208. East Rochester has had 550 volumes in monthly installments of 50. They report 819 books given out.

The work, with the teachers needing books, and the pupils wanting help in their studies, has been no small part of the year's duties. Six books are allowed each teacher upon application, and in urgent cases extra privileges are granted, limited only by the capacity of the library and anticipated demands. Four hundred and fifty-seven volumes have been given out to teachers for school work, 100 volumes, comprising lists of required reading for high school pupils, have been reserved for their use.

The reading and reference rooms have been well patronized this year, 9,667 readers having been counted. A great amount of time has been consumed in the interesting work of finding every possible bit of information on every possible subject. Men and women, as well as boys and girls, find their way to the library for help on the subjects which interest them. Weak places are often exposed by these queries and demands.

The plan adopted this year of spending a certain sum

each month for new books has proved very satisfactory. In this way the wants of the patrons have been more quickly satisfied and new books kept continually before the public. Some valuable additions to each of the classes have been purchased, and a beginning made toward duplicating the old editions of standard works.

Never in the history of the library has it received so many or more valuable gifts. Among them is the beautiful and costly book, presented by our last mayor, Hon. C. W. Bickford, which the local newspapers have so faithfully described; also a set of books given by Mrs. Ellen A. Collins, "The Masterpieces of German Art." This gives the history of German art through all periods, each of the twenty-five parts containing elegant photogravures, etchings, and wood cuts of famous pictures. In addition to these have been the collections of magazines and pamphlets donated by Prof. F. H. Bailey, Mr. O. A. Hoyt, Rev. G. L. Mason, and Mr. James B. Young, and many other acceptable gifts which you will please note in the list appended. Nothing could have given greater pleasure than has the subscription to the Library Art Club, so kindly given to the library by the Rochester Woman's Club. Not only did the club pay the subscription fee, but it intends to pay all expressage on the pictures. The following sets of pictures have been on exhibition at different times: The Alhambra, Amiens, Assisi, Canadian Pacific views, Canterbury, England, Famous pictures of all ages, Florence, German sculpture, The Hawaiian Islands, Holland and Dutch art, Pictures from the National Gallery, and New England. It has been an excellent opportunity for those who enjoy such things, and many have improved it.

Among the visitors to the library we were glad to welcome William D. Chandler, James F. Brennan and William F. Whitcher, trustees of the State library at Concord,

N. H., and Arthur H. Chase, the librarian. We have also had visits from several leading librarians of this and other states. Such visitors are always an inspiration.

This year, with its trials and its pleasures, has been an extremely busy one, but the entire staff have worked together to make the library "the greatest good to the greatest number," and it gives me great pleasure to refer to the careful and painstaking work of the assistants and also to Mr. Kimball, in the unending duties which he performs so thoroughly.

Sam Walter Foss, one of the best known librarians in New England, has said: "The city that makes it easy for its people to obtain books will develop a citizenship that will be worth all the money that it costs." We sincerely hope that in the year to come every citizen in Rochester will say "not what is the least thing, but how much can we do," for the Rochester Public Library.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the trustees for their kindness and support during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN E. PARSHLEY.

*Librarian.*

Rochester, N. H., December, 1907.

## Circulation for 1907.

	Gonic	East Rochester	Central Library	Total
Fiction,	695	452	19,753	20,900
Juvenile,	198	333	9,256	9,787
Biography,	16	3	375	394
Periodicals,	188		4,124	4,312
General Works,			54	54
Philosophy,	2		71	73
Religion,	1	4	179	184
Sociology,	1	2	200	203
Philology,			2	2
Science,	10	3	300	313
Useful Arts,	13	6	192	211
Fine Arts,	6	3	388	397
Literature,	40	4	974	1,018
Travel and History,	38	9	1,792	1,839
	1,208	819	37,660	39,687

Number of days open, 305.

Largest circulation, any one day, 355.

Smallest circulation, any one day, 36.

**Circulation.**

	1906	1907
Fiction,	19,339	20,900
Juvenile,	10,361	9,787
Biography,	425	394
Periodicals,	3,608	4,312
General Works,	4	54
Philosophy,	79	73
Religion,	205	184
Sociology,	197	203
Philology,	6	2
Science,	481	313
Useful Arts,	180	211
Fine Arts,	370	397
Literature,	799	1,018
Travel and History,	1,966	1,839
Total,	38,020	39,687

## Circulation by Months.

	Gonic	East Rochester	Central Library	Total
January,	165	64	3,627	3,856
February,	139	81	3,631	3,851
March,	168	90	3,837	4,095
April,	127	59	3,321	3,507
May,	110	77	2,875	3,062
June,	84	79	2,662	2,825
July,	81	69	2,496	2,646
August,	51	45	2,800	2,896
September,	53	78	2,437	2,568
October,	73	55	3,086	3,214
November,	102	53	3,656	3,811
December,	55	69	3,232	3,356
	1,208	819	37,660	39,687

Increase of 1,667.

## Gifts for 1907.

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	Vol- umes.	Pamph- lets.	Period- icals.
Bailey, F. H.,	2		15v. 83 Nos.
Berlin Public Library.		2	
Bickford, Hon. C. W.	1		
Bowdoin College,		1	
Brown University,		1	
Colby College,		1	
Collins, Mrs. Ellen A.,	2 (24 p.)		
Concord History Committee,		1	
Concord Public Library,		3	
Dartmouth College,		1	
Dover Public Library,		6	
Fall River Public Library,		1	
Harvard University,	1		
Haverhill Public Library,			
Home Market Club,		7	1
Hoyt, O. A.,			2v. 12 Nos.
Laconia Public Library,		5	
Lake Mohonk Conference of International arbitration,		1	
Langdon Public Library, (Newington),		1	
Library of Congress,	1		
McDuffee, Willis,	1		
Maine, State of,		12	
Manchester Public Library,		1	
Mason, Rev. G. L.,		32	
Morrison, H. C.,	1		
Municipal Art League,		2	
Nashua Public Library,		3	



	Vol- umes.	Pamph- lets.	Period- icals.
Neal, Erlon H.,	8		
Newcomb, H. F.,		1	
New Hampshire College,		6	
New Hampshire State Board of Health,		5	
New Hampshire, State of	8		
New Hampshire State Library	1		
Parshley, Mary E.,	1		
Penn. Prison Society,		1	
Publisher's Christian Science Journal,			1
Green's Fruit Grower,			1
Manchester Union,			1
New England Shoe and Leather Gazette,			1
Pacific Northwest,			1
Record,			1
Rochester Courier,			1
Publishers Springfield Advocate,			1
Ottawa, Superintendent of Immigration,	2		
Rochester, City of,	176		
Rollins, Hon. F. H.,		2	
Seattle Post,		1	
Somerville Public Library,		1	
Thomas Publishing Co.,	1		
Thompson, Lucien,		3	
University of Vermont,		1	
Yale University,		1	
Young, James B.,			15v. 43 Nos.

## Financial Report for 1907.

Amount of money on hand, Jan. 1, 1907,	\$7 17
Received from sale of catalogues,	1 20
Received from out of town patrons,	3 75
Received for books lost or injured, (Gonic)	89
Received for books lost or injured, (E. Rochester)	20 88
Received for books lost or injured, (Central Library)	2 45
Received from fines from Gonic,	8 50
Received from fines from East Rochester,	4 00
Received from fines from Central Library,	159 84
Received from sale of old papers,	10
	<hr/> \$208 78
Amount turned over to J. L. Copp, treasurer,	\$180 88
Balance on hand.	\$27 90
	<hr/> \$208 78

Respectfully submitted.

LILLIAN E. PARSHLEY.

*Librarian.*

Rochester, N. H., December, 1907.

## Public Library Receipts.

### BEQUESTS.

Jennie Farington Annex fund and interest to January 1, 1908.	\$1,094 23
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### CITY APPROPRIATION.

Balance from 1906.	\$21 17
City appropriation.	\$2,900 00
Librarian from fines.	180 88
Interest transferred from Jennie Farrington Annex fund.	125 00
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	\$3,227 05

### EXPENDITURES.

Books.	\$408 51
Books, juvenile from interest Jennie Farrington fund, 1906,	50 00
Books, juvenile from interest Jennie Farrington fund, 1907.	75 00
Periodicals.	103 75
Binding books.	168 55
Printing and supplies.	141 94
Repairs and material.	89 24
Electric light.	281 76
Electric supplies.	36 31
Coal, bill for 1906.	171 25
Coal, bill for 1907.	191 20
Wood.	3 00
Furnishings for library.	42 82
Librarian.	500 00

First Assistant,	350 00
Second Assistant,	205 01
Janitor,	300 00
Secretary, board of trustees,	25 00
Librarian at Genie,	50 00
Supplies,	1 56
Insurance on books at Genie library,	2 50
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	\$3,197 40
Balance in Treasury,	\$29 65
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	\$3,227 05

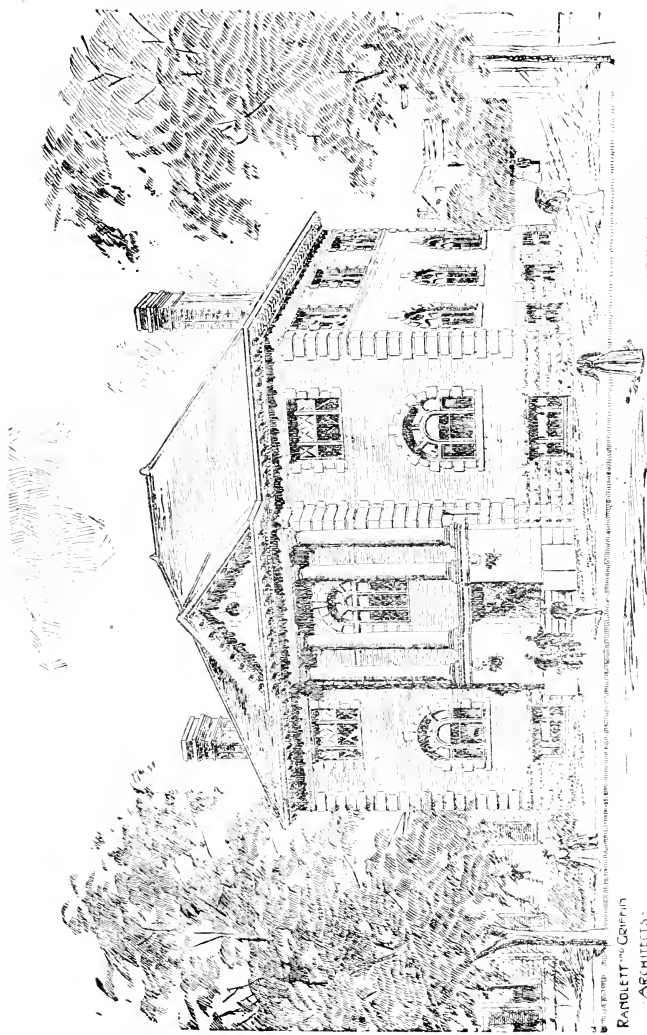
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I have examined the receipts and expenditures of the financial reports of the librarian, Lillian E. Parshley, and the treasurer, John L. Copp. I find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN YOUNG,

*Secretary Board of Trustees.*

Rochester, N. H., Dec. 28, 1907.



RANDOLPH GRIFFIN  
ARCHITECTS -  
CONCORD - N.H.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY BUILDING.



ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF THE

City of Rochester,

New Hampshire,

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31st,

1907.

At the annual meeting of the School Board of the City of Rochester, the superintendent of schools read his report for the year ending December 31, 1907. This report was accepted and adopted as the report of the school board to the city council and to the public.

ANDREW JACKSON,

*Secretary.*

Rochester, N. H.



## SCHOOL BOARD CITY OF ROCHESTER.

### Organization for 1907.

Hon. William G. Bradley,	President.
William H. Slayton,	Secretary.

*Ward One*—Charles E. Quimby, Dr. John H. Bates.

*Ward Two*—Wilder B. Neal, Ernest E. Berry.

*Ward Three*—E. Roscoe Evans, Granville Grant.

*Ward Four*—Dr. Ernest Duval, Albert Nelson.

*Ward Five*—Rudolph Kramer, John Hanseam.

*Ward Six*—Theodore Wilmot, Dr. John H. Neal.

Superintendent of Schools, William H. Slayton.

### Standing Committees.

*Accounts*—Bradley, W. B. Neal, Hanseam.

*Teachers and Salaries*—Dr. Neal, Kramer, Hanseam.

*Music and Drawing*—Quimby, Nelson, Berry.

*Schoolhouses and Grounds*—Kramer, Wilmot, Bradley.

*Supplies*—W. B. Neal, Hanseam, Bradley.

*Text Books*—Dr. Neal, W. B. Neal, Bates.

*Rules and Regulations*—Evans, Dr. Neal, Bates.

*Transportation*—Wilmot, Berry, Grant.

*Ungraded Schools*—W. B. Neal, Evans, Duval.

*Truancy*—Quimby, Duval, Grant.

*Superintendent of Schools*—William H. Slayton. Office in high school building. Office hours: 8-9 A. M., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday; 4-5 P. M., Monday, Wednesday, Friday. Telephone: 136-4. residence: 122-2.

## SCHOOL BOARD CITY OF ROCHESTER.

### Organization for 1908.

Hon. William G. Bradley,	President.
Andrew Jackson,	Secretary.

*Ward One*—Dr. J. H. Bates, Irving A. Corson.

*Ward Two*—Ernest E. Berry, Dr. A. S. Annis.

*Ward Three*—Granville Grant, Walter Meader.

*Ward Four*—Albert Nelson, Rev. C. J. Paradis.

*Ward Five*—John Hanseam, Charles W. Bickford.

*Ward Six*—Rudolph Kramer, A. B. Hunter.

Superintendent of Schools, Andrew Jackson.

### Standing Committees.

*Accounts*—Bradley, Hanseam, Kramer.

*Teachers and Salaries*—Kramer, Hanseam, Bickford.

*Music and Drawing*—Nelson, Berry, Annis.

*Schoolhouses and grounds*—Bickford, Corson, Bradley.

*Supplies*—Hanseam, Hunter, Bradley.

*Text Books*—Bates, Nelson, Meader.

*Rules and Regulations*—Bates, Meader, Hunter.

*Transportation*—Berry, Grant, Annis.

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## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

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*To the Board of Education of the City of Rochester:*

Gentlemen:—I do not apprehend that you require of me at this time any elaborate exposition of my views on educational questions in the abstract. I take it rather that I should summarize now the progress of the schools during the past year, and outline the condition that confronts us as we take up the work for 1908. I shall confine myself then strictly to a consideration of questions that may come before you here, and so I shall not weary you with fancied ills or real ones that you are powerless to remedy.

The greatest difficulty that confronts us at this time is the problem of finance. There are certain fixed items of expense attendant upon the merest keeping open of a plant to house 1,300 pupils, that have to be charged off at the outset. Any appropriation above this sum should, and if properly expended does, result in increased efficiency. That is to say, it should turn out boys and girls better equipped to become useful members of the community.

If the citizens do desire, we can run the schools for the minimum sum and turn out a finished product of minimum qualification for usefulness. If, on the other hand, they elect to give more to work with, then more is demanded of us. It is for them to determine whether or not they wish to pay for this increased efficiency. It is for you to see that they get what they pay for.

It will be my purpose to refrain from putting you in a position where you will be forced at the end of the year to ask the council for sums above the amount they shall see fit to appropriate for this department. I shall simply increase or cut down the efficiency of the school system in proportion to the sum made available.

Nevertheless it may not be out of place to mention some of the needs which make necessary this year an increased appropriation.

During the past year \$400 has been expended for repairs. This is 2-10 of 1% on the valuation of the plant. Comment on this fact is superfluous. There is crying need of extensive outlays on the East Rochester and Allen buildings and on the grounds at Gonic. On Maple street and School street buildings it seems hardly advisable to expend any considerable sums, as they are in advanced stages of decrepitude and must soon be replaced by modern structures.

The present plant is rapidly becoming inadequate for the increasing number of pupils. It was found necessary to open a new room last September and next fall still another must be provided. As every one available is already occupied, one of the high school rooms must be turned over to a seventh or eighth grade and one of the laboratories fitted up as a study room for the displaced high school pupils. This will be awkward for the high school but there seems to be no alternative. It must be understood, however, that this is merely a temporary expedient and that it only postpones the building of a new school-house.

Then, too, there must be an increase in the appropriation for teachers' salaries to meet the demands of the salary schedule adopted by the board. It was hardly to be expected that the adoption of this schedule would do away

entirely with the lamentable experience we pass through with each year when some superintendent comes up here from Massachusetts and inveigles two or three of our teachers into that promised land of high salaries and metropolitan perquisites. The time will probably never come when we can compete successfully for teachers with Massachusetts cities. Still, the number of changes in our teaching force has been reduced considerably and I look for a still further decrease during the coming year.

In the internal workings of the school I am able to report the usual progress. We are hampered much by the necessity of each year promoting too large a percentage of pupils to accommodate the increasing numbers in the lower grades. On the other hand there is so great a rigidity in the course of study that it is possible only for a mental prodigy to complete the course in a shorter time than the allotted eight years.

There is something wrong in a system that demands that pupils of all degrees of ability take the same amount of time to do a certain amount of work. Its effect is bound to be detrimental to the brighter pupils. Elsewhere there are in use various expedients for gaining a greater elasticity in this matter. The only one feasible in our school seems to be the dividing of the year's work in certain grades, say the sixth and seventh, into two parts, the first covering the work of the grade in outline, taking up the main principles, and the second being a thorough review and amplification of the first half year's work. The brighter pupils in this way could take the first half year in the sixth grade and the second half year in the seventh, thus covering the entire grounds of the subjects taught in both grades, in one year, and entering the high school after seven years.

This scheme obviates the present necessity of missing the entire work of a grade in covering the course in less than

eight years. As we do not permit children to enter the first grade until they are six years old, some expedient of this sort appears necessary, and I recommend that you investigate the matter further.

I wish to see an extension of gymnastic and other athletic exercises in the schools. Our modern system looks more particularly to the development of the mind though the old Spartan ideal of "a sound mind in a sound body" and is as worthy of emulation as it was two thousand years ago. I have been advised that athletics should have no place in the public schools. I believe that they have a place, and an important one. I have seen repeatedly instances where a sullen and indifferent boy has been made into a self-reliant, self-respecting individual, because he discovered in athletics something that even he could do well.

Once a boy becomes conscious of the least power within himself, a great stride has been made in his education. For this reason it is advisable to have the course of study broad enough to furnish to as many as possible opportunity to devote themselves to some line of work for which they are fitted by nature.

Mr. Robertson's suggestion, concerning industrial education, in his report, which I shall shortly have the honor of reading to you, is along this line. Many educators hold that it is not the function of the public schools to turn out graduates fitted by their school training for some particular employment. It seems to me that the more pupils we turn out thus fitted, the better we serve the community, and while manual training or industrial education is still a long way off in Rochester schools because of financial considerations, we may do much along this line of educating for efficiency by increasing the facilities at the command of the commercial department which has done remarkably successful work with meager equipment.

The only ungraded school in Rochester now is that at Meaderboro. It seems to me advisable that the graded salary schedule should be extended to this school, as it is an important one and certainly one of the most difficult in the city.

Our experience of the last few years with the East Rochester school seems to show that a man should be secured to teach the eighth grade there and act as principal of the building.

In the matter of the curriculum, I should like to see music and drawing restored if possible. In many school systems a simple course in ethics has been added to the studies taught in the grades. Another year, I should like to see something of this nature attempted in our own schools.

I have prepared the statistics usually appended to this report.

The enrollment at the beginning of the fall term was 618 boys and 600 girls, making a total of 1,218, an increase of 72 over last year. The increase of 1906 over 1905 was 48.

The average membership was 1,128.7. The number of tardinesses was 842 as against 598 a year ago, and the percentage of attendance 94.4 as against 94.7 in 1906. This showing is not poor when it is considered that the schools have not been closed at all during the year on account of stormy weather.

The enumeration of children, taken in September, showed 712 boys and 771 girls, a total of 1,483. These figures show a healthy increase that speaks well for the prosperity of Rochester.

In closing, I wish to express my appreciation to the teachers and janitors who have always been ready to put themselves to any inconvenience to aid me, and to you,

gentlemen, who have shown me such uniform and unfailing patience and courtesy.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW JACKSON,  
*Superintendent of Schools.*



## REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL.

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*To the Superintendent of Schools:*

The close of the year 1907 finds the high school prospering in every line of work, with students and faculty putting forth united and harmonious effort to attain to that degree of excellence which shall make the school an honor to the community,—a power for uplift to all who come within its influence.

While this is true, there are various subjects of general interest worthy of consideration by the school board and citizens to which I may rightly refer in this, my third annual report. In the matter of

### HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS.

I believe that the city is very fortunate. A corps of teachers more devoted to their work, it would be hard to find. All have attended strictly to the task of making the school the best within their power, and scarce a day in the week has gone by when every one of them could not have been found in their rooms at the school building after school hours, helping those who needed help or attending to the varied duties arising in connection with their work, and all working harmoniously together with me.

As regards that ever-present subject of discussion,

## SCHOOL DISCIPLINE,

I may say that it is ever before us, and we have made an especial effort during the term just ended to bring every member of the school to realize to the fullest extent the importance and necessity of right conduct. My theories of what constitutes good discipline and of how to gain it, have not changed, and as far as possible, the appeal to the sense of right and of personal responsibility has been used and it has had gratifying results in the vast majority of instances, so that the general conduct of the students is excellent and appreciative of the reliance placed upon them. A few there have been who would not yield to the appeal to right and school honor, and who could be made to see the seriousness of their failure to "get in line," only by the force of temporary suspension. In each case, every possible resource, except corporal punishment, was resorted to before suspension was enforced. In each case, the suspension had the desired effect, but in each case I received what seemed to me decidedly unfair treatment at the hands of the parents of the disciplined children. This leads me to say a word regarding the

## PARENTS OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

The vast majority of them have been kind, considerate, helpful,—acknowledging their co-responsibility and obligation for co-operation. For this, we have been and are truly grateful. Some, however, fail to realize the problem that confronts us when we have to deal with a family of one hundred and eighty young people, each with his own peculiarity, each under different home conditions and discipline, and all varying in mental capacity and their conception of right, duty and honor. If parents can not control a child at home where they have full knowledge of his

individual characteristics and tendencies, they certainly ought not to blame the school if it is unwillingly compelled to resort to severe means for bringing such students in line. Things which parents can and often do endure or tolerate at home, would ruin school discipline and cannot be tolerated. One thing is certain, we are not enemies but friends of every student that comes to us, and no student who enters the Rochester high school under the present administration, with a purpose of taking the duties of school life at all seriously and who makes an honest effort to do his work will ever have any cause for complaint of the treatment given him.

And this leads to the subject of

### HOME STUDY.

The high school building is no play house. The proper completion of the course in four years is no child's play. It requires study,—a great amount of hard, serious study,—and the greater part of it must necessarily be done at home, or at the school building in the afternoon. The thoughtful parent, with his child's interest at heart, will see to it that his boy so arranges his hours of work and recreation, as to secure the proper time for his school work. If the work seems too hard and seems to take too much time, the school should not be blamed. It is part of a vast educational system. It must keep its place in that system whether its management approves or not. There is a minimum of work that must be done.

In order to keep our place on the list of approved high schools for out of town scholars, we have modified the

### COURSE OF STUDY.

We have been compelled by the State Department of Public Instruction to increase the amount of work required

of us as regards the number of daily recitations. Daily recitations in every subject are now demanded instead of the three and four periods per week heretofore called for in the course. This makes twenty recitation periods per week necessary for those who would complete the course in four years. The change seems to us on the whole advantageous, though it has been somewhat difficult for the students to adapt themselves to the change.

Some students find it practically impossible to complete the required work in four years. Wisdom would suggest that such students give up the desire so common to all to "graduate with the class," and take five years in the high school. This seems especially worthy of consideration by those who enter the high school at an early age, because of the shortened course below the high school. This is far better than taking a

### POST GRADUATE COURSE

as many have done. The graduate, as a rule, has lost the incentive to work, fails to feel full sympathy in the interests of the school, expects special privileges, and makes the conditions of proper attention to school work difficult for himself and his instructors. I would, therefore, urge parents to consider this matter carefully, and insist that the thought of graduation be given up until the boy or girl shall have accomplished all that he or she intends in the high school. Plenty of time and thoroughness of work are, in the long run, the things to be desired.

### FITTING FOR COLLEGE.

We have been much annoyed by the circulation of a report that our high school can not fit for college. Fitting for college is not the primary aim of the high school, which is in a great measure the "people's college." Fitting for

college is, however, a secondary purpose of the high school, and that fact is in no sense overlooked by us. Our high school furnishes three specific courses of instruction,—all that a school with its limited corps of instructors can consistently offer. These are: a general course for those not intending to enter college; a college preparatory course; and a commercial course. The value of these and the results gained from them, must necessarily depend in a large measure upon the individual efforts of the students, their mental capacities, and the power of the homes back of them. The work of any school is to be judged by the results gained by students who take its work seriously and with a fixed purpose,—not by the failures of the dullard and the indifferent, whose only aim is to “pass.”

The general course furnishes four years of mental training which give a broader view of life and prepare a student for entering with better preparation upon those callings in which success is gained by experience.

That the commercial department can fulfill its purpose, is evident from the words of commendation received from the employers of those graduates who took the course with the serious purpose of fitting themselves for stenographers.

The absolute foolishness of the college preparatory rumor may be seen from the fact that the right of certification for college entrance was renewed last spring without question by the College Entrance Certificate Board of New England. The school gave full entrance certificates the past year as follows:

Dartmouth College,	2
Boston University,	2
Bates College,	2
Simmons College,	1
Tufts Dental College,	1
Normal Schools,	3

and all of these save one who returned without making an effort, are well above the required passing mark in the respective colleges. Add to these, the large number of earlier graduates in upper classes in colleges, and the school's ability becomes apparent. A college president said to me very recently: "Rochester high school has a high reputation as a fitting school."

### GRADUATION VS. "FITTING."

In this connection, it may be well to add that graduation from high school nowhere means necessarily complete preparation for college. A high school diploma indicates that a student has given four or more years to high school work and has "passed" a certain required minimum of work. A student who merely "passes" is in no enviable position, for he cannot be certified to college or anything else. He alone is entitled to a college certificate or a certificate of competency for office work, who has taken his school obligation seriously and maintained a scholarship rank of 80% or upward. Parents who are seriously interested in this subject will not be satisfied with reports bearing marks below B, though C is a "passing" mark. Of course, there are many faithful, hard-working students who can not maintain a high rank. For such, we have no word of complaint or discouragement.

### OUR SERIOUS PROBLEM.

The one serious problem that confronts the high school of today is, in my opinion, that of how to keep boys in school during the first two years of the course. The number who "fall by the wayside" during these two years, is not pleasant to contemplate. More than half of the boys who entered in the fall of 1905 have already given up, and

the other classes seem to be losing their boys in an almost equal ratio. Latin and algebra, ancient history and English do not appeal to the average boy of fourteen summers. Yet these subjects are everywhere the standards for first year work in the high school, and we are powerless to change them. The boy on entering high school is at the age when he wants to use his hands; wants to be "doing something," and the educational world is being made to realize this fact. What can be done? The practical solution lies, I believe, in

### MECHANICAL OR INDUSTRIAL TRAINING

in connection with the regular school subjects. The movement in behalf of such education has already started,—started with greater force than any other move in the modern educational world. I would urge that the board of education give this subject their most serious consideration by the appointment, if necessary, of a committee to study the question in all its various phases. Our boys and girls ought to be taught to use their hands and their brains; ought to be given the opportunity of working off their animal energies to some purpose, other than annoying the school discipline. The value of industrial training would be inestimable both in its power of keeping boys from going to work at too early an age, and in fitting them to begin intelligently some industrial occupation when the time comes for them to be self-supporting, not to mention its value in overcoming the tendency of present-day education to cause young people to look with contempt upon industrial pursuits. The education of the hand with the mind is bound to come and that before many years. Should we not make it a matter of pride to be among the first to recognize this fact and prepare for it?

## IN CONCLUSION.

Permit me to express my heartfelt appreciation of the kindly good will and assistance rendered me by the school board, superintendents, and citizens generally, and to assure all that while I feel that the work of the high school is such as to be a credit to the community, the faculty of the school realizes that there is always room for improvement and that we will make it our aim constantly to strive for the highest possible excellence in every school interest.

Respectfully submitted,

S. W. ROBERTSON,

*Principal.*



## High School Graduation.

### PROGRAM.

Music.

1. Salutatory with Essay, "What Can She Do?"  
May Springfield.

2. Oration, "The Value of Ideals."  
Wayne E. Davis.

3. Essay, "Causes for National Pride."  
Lillian Osgood.

Music.

4. Discussion, "Resolved, That United States Senators Should be  
Elected by Direct Vote of the People.

Affirmative, Carl K. Springfield.

Negative, Leslie W. Snow.

Music.

5. Essay, "Fidelity to Ideals the Nation's Surety."  
Maude B. Wentworth.

6. Oration, "America's Rise to a Position Among the Powers of  
the World."

Alfred W. Robertson.

7. Poem, "A Path and a Vision," with Valedictory.  
Conrad E. Snow.

Presentation of Diplomas.

Note.—Nos 7, 1 and 4 were appointed by scholarship in that order;  
the others by competition.

## CLASS ROLL.

## LATIN-ENGLISH COURSE.

Wayne Edward Davis,  
Alfred Worcester Robertson,  
Conrad Edwin Snow,  
Leslie Whitmore Snow,  
Carl Kimball Springfield,  
Mattie Belle Allen,  
Bernice Helen Foss,  
May Springfield.

## ENGLISH COURSE.

William Eugene Blake,  
Alice Jessica Burnham,  
Ralph Elbert Came,  
James Owen Cassidy,  
Oscar Henry Davis,  
Brackett B. Fernald,  
Royal Lord,  
Charles Henry Manning,  
J. Sherman Norris,  
Guy Smart,  
William Elbert Tripp,  
Henry Harrison Varney,  
Lawrence Leon Willey.

## BUSINESS COURSE.

Carl Burton Sayward,  
Catherine May Canavan,  
Ethel Lenora Folsom,  
Nancie Lura Foss,  
Bertha Sabra Furbush,  
Nellie Christina Ludden,  
Edna Frances Osborne,  
Lillian Osgood,  
Selma Piercy Seavey,  
Maude Bernice Wentworth.

## CLASS ODE.

*Words by Conrad E. Snow.**Music by Charles Manning.*

School has ended for Ought Seven,  
 Four years wended swift away,  
 Years of toil, but light with leaven,  
 Fun and freedom every day.

All united we have striven,  
 Studied, worked, and played our pranks,  
 Cheered the respites to us given;  
 Now to break our friendly ranks.

Here tonight we stand together,  
 Singing this our parting ode,  
 Knowing not what storms to weather,  
 Rise, what reapings we have sowed.

Here our common path divideth  
 Into one and thirty ways,  
 Each his future course decideth  
 Where he studies, toils, or strays.

Listen to this call, Ought Seven,  
 Righting wrong, live pure, speak true,  
 Ever win the love of heaven,  
 Where you are or what you do.

Grieving for Ought Seven's parting,  
 For the song that's nearly done,  
 Joyous o'er the happy starting  
 Of the life that is to come.

## APPENDIX.

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### Financial Statement for Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1907.

#### RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1906,	\$151 30
Appropriation for 1907,	23,500 00
Dog tax,	1,184 91
Literary fund,	776 53
Tuition,	401 93
From county,	365 82
Miscellaneous,	74 89
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#### EXPENDITURES.

Teacher's and superintendent's salaries,	\$16,626 34
Janitors' salaries,	1,828 77
Transportation,	3,606 00
Fuel,	1,384 46
Repairs,	389 83
Books and supplies,	1,557 99
Livery,	90 25
Graduation expenses,	71 90
Cleaning school houses,	138 05
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.,	31 50
Berry & Shorey, hardware,	20 67
Superintendent, for postage, expenses seeking teachers, etc.,	60 27

Freight, express and truckage,	\$ 65 37
Telephone, rent and tolls,	45 89
Printing,	72 45
One-third cost South Milton school,	109 71
School board, clerk's salary,	18 72
Incidentals,	237 71
Bills carried over on city clerk's books,	99 50
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	\$26,455 38

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### **Schedule of Salaries.**

First year,	\$360
Second year,	380
Third year,	400
Fourth year,	425
Fifth year,	450

This schedule applies only to teachers in the graded schools who receive the full recommendation of the committee on teachers and salaries.

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### **No School Signal.**

Two blasts on the fire alarm repeated once will be the signal for no school.

When sounded at 7 A. M. there will be no school in the forenoon. When sounded at 12.45 there will be no afternoon session. The signal sounded at 11.30 will prolong the morning session of primary schools one-half hour, and of grammar schools one hour, at the end of which the schools will be dismissed for the day.

The same signals will be sounded at Gonic and East Rochester.

## Statistics for Year Ending July 15, 1907.

Population of the city by census of 1900,	8,467
Estimated population, 1907,	9,500
Total number of children between 5 and 16 years:	
Total enrolment,	1,303
Average membership,	1,071
Average daily attendance,	990
Per cent of attendance,	92.4
Pupils enrolled in high school,	187
No. of weeks in school year:	
High,	38
Grades,	37
Number of schools below high school,	26
Number of ungraded or mixed schools,	1
Number of school buildings in use,	7
Estimated value of school buildings, etc.,	\$140,000 00
Average cost per pupil, based on total enrolment,	\$19 24
Average cost per pupil, based on average membership,	\$23 41
Number of tardinesses,	1,697
Number of pupils not absent or tardy during the year,	57
Number of visits by the school board,	11
Number of visits by the superintendent,	483
Number of visits by parents, citizens and others,	1,504



## Teachers Employed by the City, January 1, 1908.

SCHOOL	GRADE	NAME	ELECTED	SALARY	HOME ADDRESS
High		Samuel W. Robertson	Sept. 1905	\$1,350	Rochester, N. H.
		Anna S. Allen	April 1887	700	
		Artemus W. Wing	Sept. 1904	650	Phillips, Me.
		Murtle Young	" 1906	575	Malden, Mass.
		Louise B. Foster	"	650	Beverly, Mass.
		Jane G. Ricker	Sept. 1907	600	Cambridge, Mass.
		W. H. Moore	" 1907	600	Peterboro, N. H.
		Annie I. Rollins	" 1891	450	Rochester, N. H.
		Lida Varney	" 1899	450	Gonic, N. H.
		Florence A. Morrison	Jan. 1905	425	Dover, N. H.
Allen	VIII, VII, VI, V, VI, VII, V, IV, IV, III, III, II, I	Jeanie J. Kier	Dec. 1906	425	Rochester, N. H.
		Mary J. Collins	Oct. 1907	360	
		Fannie Morrison	Sept. 1907	380	Dover, N. H.
		Nellie M. Wentworth	Jan. 1900	425	Milton, N. H.
		Millicent J. Penney	Sept. 1905	425	Rochester, N. H.
		Agnes Regan	" 1903	425	Portsmouth, N. H.
		Gertrude Spencer	Jan. 1905	400	Lawrence, Kansas
		Ina S. Balch	Oct. 1907	360	Antrim, N. H.
		Mary C. Emery	Sept. 1905	450	Auburn, N. H.
		Bessie Allen, Asst.	Dec. 1906	185	Rochester, N. H.
Maple Street	III, IV, II, I	Eva M. Bugbee	Sept. 1907	400	Wilton, N. H.
		Bessie C. Dolliver	" 1905	400	So. Lyndeboro, N. H.
School Street	I, II	Laura Baker	Oct. 1907	370	Roxbury, Mass.
		Elizabeth Freeman	Sept. 1907	360	So. Royalton, Vt.
Gonic	VII, VIII, V, VI, III, IV, II, I	Nellie A. Collins	" 1900	450	Rochester, N. H.
		Mary Griffin	" 1907	360	Portsmouth, N. H.
		Evelyn B. Meader	" 1907	360	Dover, N. H.
		Ina C. Pearson	" 1906	380	Laconia, N. H.
		Elizabeth Belleville	" 1907	360	Hinsdale, N. H.
		Esther Palmer	" 1907	360	Derry, N. H.
		Elizabeth O. Brooks	Jan. 1905	425	Saxonville, Mass.
		Nettie E. Leach	Sept. 1906	380	Exeter, N. H.
East Rochester	VII, VIII, V, VI, III, IV, I, II	Alice M. Billings	" 1906	360	Rochester, N. H.
		Marita Morgan	" 1907	333	
Meaderboro Supt. of Schools		Andrew Jackson	Sept. 1907	1000	Littleton, N. H.

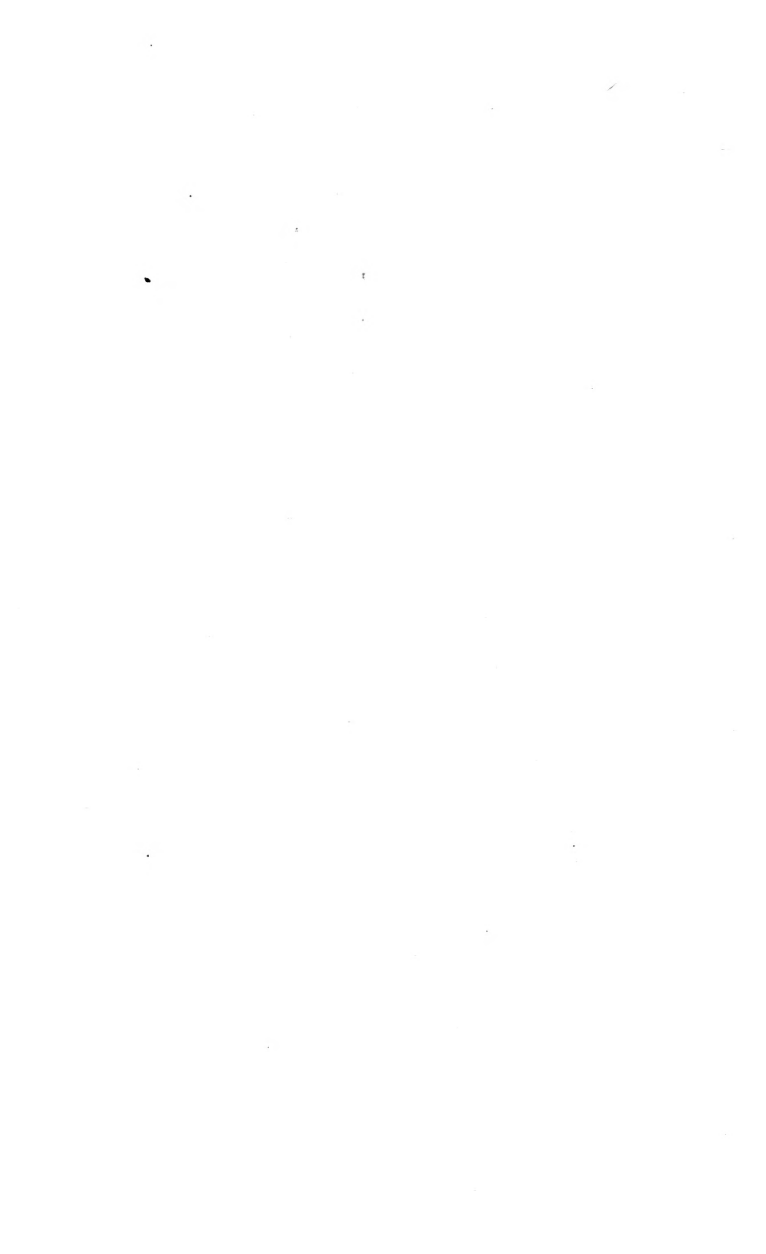


## Resignations and Appointments.

RESIGNED.	SCHOOL.	APPOINTED.
Ruth Abbe,	School St.,	Elizabeth Freeman.
Emily J. Bean,	Maple St.,	Eva M. Bugbee.*
Eva M. Bugbee.*	Gonic,	Evelyn B. Meader.
Bessie Hartshorne,	Maple St.,	Laura Baker.
Andrew Jackson,	High,	W. H. Moore.
Elizabeth A. Horne,	"	Jane G. Ricker.
Bernice Leavitt.	Gonic,	Mary Griffin.
Alice S. Rand,	Allen.	Ina S. Balch.
Martha Reynolds,	High.	Louise B. Foster.
Alta B. Scruton.	Gonic,	Elizabeth Belleville.
Alice E. Small,	East Rochester,	Alice M. Billings.*
Alice M. Billings,*	Meaderboro,	Marita Morgan.
Ethel Wentworth.	High, grade VI,	Florence Morrison.*
Florence Morrison.	Allen,	Fannie Morrison.

\*Transferred.

Mrs. Fred S. Gray and Mrs. May M. Hart have acted as substitutes and their efficient services have been of great value in emergencies.



# VITAL STATISTICS

OF THE

## City of Rochester

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31st,

1907.



BIRTHS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

JANUARY

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any).	Sex & Cond.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
			Males.	Females.	Living or Stillborn.	No. Child.	Color.							
1	Gonic Roch.	Raleigh	M	F	L	2	w	w	Gonic Rochester	Mill Helper	Alfred, Me. Farmington	Nova Scotia Barrington	27 23	27 23
3	"	Alfred Aourvard	"	"	"	11	"	"	"	Shoemaker	"	Barrington, Vt.	46 40	46 40
8	"	Marie An'e Eva	"	"	"	9	"	"	"	Mill Operative	"	Canada	38 35	38 35
14	"	Esther Elizabeth	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	R. R. Employee	"	"	37 27	37 27
14	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	Sawyer	Rochester	Dover	43 36	43 36
18	"	Marie Elsie	"	"	S	1	"	"	"	Physician	Westminster, Ms	Barrington	54 43	54 43
18	"	Marie A'e Alb'e	"	"	L	2	"	"	"	Laborer	"	Canada	51 42	51 42
18	"	"	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	Clerk	"	"	39 34	39 34
20	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	Teamster	Rochester	Lelanon, Me.	31 27	31 27
23	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	Student	"	"	16 16	16 16
23	"	Celia M.	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	Rotting Tonics	Salmon Falls	Lynn, Mass.	31 29	31 29
26	E. Roch.	"	"	"	"	5	"	"	E. Rochester	Shoemaker	Germany	Germany	40 35	40 35

FEBRUARY

1	Roch.	Joseph	M	F	L	17	w	w	Rochester	Founder	Canada	Canada	43 39	43 39
2	Gonic Roch.	Celine Albani	"	"	"	9	"	"	Gonic Rochester	Teamster	"	"	39 41	39 41
3	"	Raym'd Renoit	"	"	"	5	"	"	"	"	"	"	30 32	30 32
3	"	Agnes May	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	Clerk	Rochester	Boston, Mass.	21 19	21 19
5	"	Sarah M.	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	Shoemaker	Stratford	Rochester	29 26	29 26
8	"	Lester James	"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	Ireland	Ireland	23 26	23 26
10	"	Bern'd Frankl'n	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	Weaver	Rochester	Rochester	21 17	21 17
10	"	Roma Emile	"	"	"	5	"	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	38 29	38 29

# FEBRUARY—Continued

14	Roch.	Louise Jennie	F	L	5	w	Joseph Richard	Marie Grenier	w	Rochester	Shoemaker	Canada	34/29
16	"	Alvin DeMa'ie	"	"	2	"	George B. Boulhne	Delia Honle	"	"	"	Rochester	29/20
18	E. Roch.	Jessie Reuben	M	"	1	"	Geo. H. A. Clow	Orianna Baker	"	E. Rochester	Carpenter	"	25/24
18	Roch.	Bertina Olive	"	"	1	"	Henry L. Jenkins	Minnie H. George	"	Rochester	Laborer	P. E. Island	23/21
22	"	Marie Viviane	"	"	3	"	Henry Vachon	Georgina La Pointe	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	26/23
23	"	Joseph Romeo	"	"	1	"	Walter Lambert	Annie Turgeon	"	"	"	Cambridge, Ms.	19/21

# MARCH

1	Roch.	Jos. Alpe's Alb't M	L	7	w	Joseph Neddo	Emma Leavitt	w	Rochester	Brickmaker	Canada	44/22	
2	Gonic	Joseph A. V.	"	5	"	Joseph Gagne	Mary Roberge	Gonic	Rochester	"	"	35/36	
3	Roch.	Joseph Alpha'e	"	3	"	Honore Dubois	Delia Nollet	"	"	Wood Chopper	"	36/36	
9	"	Pierre Edmond	"	2	"	Pierre Sylvain	Mary J. Labbe	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	24/19	
9	"	Virginia May	F	1	"	Arthur R. Layman	Mary D. Dona	"	"	Boss Spinner	Buena Vista Va	26/24	
10	"	Florence Helene	"	6	"	Placide Robichaud	Sara Gendreau	"	"	Carpenter	New Brunswick	34/28	
10	"	John Moorich'd	"	3	"	John J. Morrison	Delia Moorehead	"	"	"	Ireland	Lowell, Mass.	43/30
12	"	Matilda	"	3	"	Albert E. Holmes	Clara Hnatress	"	"	Teamster	Stoneham, Mas	Montenboro	34/30
13	E. Roch.	Dorothy E.	"	1	"	Leroy B. Sleeper	Florence F. Varney	E. Rochester	Rochester	Weaver	Rochester	23/18	
16	Roch.	Ruth Elizabeth	"	2	"	Edwin S. Fennell	Helen C. Brieffy	Rochester	"	Clothier	Acton, Me.	33/28	
17	"	Harold Irving	"	1	"	George I. Duncells	Addie L. Nute	"	"	Shoemaker	Lynn, Mass.	33/21	
20	"	Donald Carlton	"	1	"	Alston C. Colby	Gladis B. Keneson	"	"	Brakeman	Boston, Mass.	23/18	
23	"	Marie Elsa	"	3	"	Frank O. Horne	Elsie M. Varney	E. Rochester	Rochester	Shoemaker	Waldfield	26/21	
24	Roch.	Ludger	"	2	"	Wilfrid Mercier	Mary Vachon	Rochester	"	"	Canada	26/21	
25	"	Anna Edwilda	"	2	"	Omar Dubois	Marie A. Gagnon	"	"	Brickmaker	"	26/21	
25	"	Rodney Alfred	"	2	"	Arthur Jacques	Alvina Perusse	"	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	29/22	
26	"	Emilienne Dora	"	1	"	Alfred E. Thompson	Addie L. Randlett	York, Me.	York, Me.	Sawyer	Negonee, Mich.	29/22	
26	"	Madeline Irene	"	4	"	Eugene Fillean	Laurenda Lapierre	Rochester	Canada	Saw Mill Man	Hesborough, Me	24/22	
27	"	Earle Louis	"	10	"	Treffle Cormier	Leda Turcotte	"	"	Shoemaker	Bakersfield, Vt.	36/32	
30	"	Joseph Edmond	"	3	"	William C. Charrette	Fran's E. W. Bennett	"	"	Loomfixer	Taunton, Mass.	34/27	
31	"	Berd Lew's A'p	"	1	"	Joseph Boivin	Mary Pionhott	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	24/24	
31	"		"	1	"	John Colby	Mabel C. Smith	"	"	R. R. Clerk	Exeter	Alton	20/20





# JUNE

4	E. Roch.	Olive Edith	Edith M. Kimball	Florence Midwood	E. Rochester	Spinner	Canada	England	36 37
4	"	Clifford Joseph	Edith M. Kimball	Edith M. Kimball	"	Farmer	"	E. Rochester	24 25
7	Roch.	Harvey Edwin	Joseph Contre	Mand V. Livingston	Rochester	R. R. Employee	Rochester	Rochester	20 19
7	E. Roch.	Regin'd Garth'd	Cyrus G. Hurd	Grace F. Lowd	E. Rochester	Newspaper Rep	"	Lebanon, Me.	25 17
7	Roch.	Harry	Harry R. Foss	Etta B. Woodes	Rochester	Teamster	Gonic	Danvers, Mass	36 34
7	"	Morris J.	George B. Holt	Lena A. Wentworth	"	Mill Operative	Somersworth	N. Barnstead	29 25
8	"	Lenora Belle	Henry Maxfield	Clara Jacques	"	Barber	Rochester	Rochester	34 34
11	"	Leland	Isabel E. Worcester	Limie E. Worcester	"	Merchant	Tamworth	Salem, Mass.	73 39
12	"	Florence Mabel	John H. Shepard	Isabel M. King	"	Teamster	Stratham	Salem, Mass.	31 29
14	"	Aleck Potvin	Charles H. Morrill	Frances M. King	"	Farmer	Windham, Me.	Plymouth, Mass	42 31
15	"	Fred Potvin	Aleck Butler	Marian Potvin	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Suncook	38 20
16	"	Arthur Davis	Aleck Butler	Marian Potvin	"	"	"	"	38 20
17	"	Margaret	Patrick W. Parsons	Agnes M.	"	Tailor	England	Mt. Desert, Me.	38 24
17	Gonic	Wallace Bern'd	Patrick Nangle	Annie Ludden	"	Shoemaker	Ireland	Ireland	44 35
19	Roch.	Joseph Lionel	Thomas A. Marsden	Susie Jenkins	Gonic	Loomfixer	Billericia, Mass.	Canada	33 26
20	"	Charles Francis	Evangel Perreault	Leontine Moisan	Rochester	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	33 30
23	"	Joseph Raym'd	George E. Hayes	Nellie Blazo	"	Hotel Keeper	Rochester	Rochester	34 32
24	"	Carlton A.	Fred Duperry	Adelaide Vachon	"	Shoemaker	Van Buren, Me.	"	34 28
25	"	Joseph Girard	Ira P. Lucas	Gracie M. Hall	"	Shoemaker	Deering, Me.	"	23 22
25	"	Stanley Wm.	Louis A. Grasse	Palma St. Germain	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	Canada	21 27
26	Gonic	Marie Lisabelle	John Wright	Elizabeth McKee	"	R. R. Employee	Ireland	Ireland	33 36
27	Roch.	Beatrice Lill'n	Michael McCarthy	Catherine Burns	Gonic	Mill Operative	England	"	34 39
28	"		Thos. Gilbert	Annie Valley	Rochester	Brakenan	Canada	Barrington	35 34
28	"		Peter J. Harrity	Phebe Sylvain	"	Telegraph Oper	Salmon Falls	Canada	27 22
28	"		Patrick Badley	Marie Leavy	"	Shoemaker	Ireland	Ireland	38 36

# JULY

1	Roch.	Edward Dennis	Pierce Mullaly	Nora McAniff	Rochester	R. R. Employee	New Brunswick	Ireland	33 29
2	"	Mary Emma Ceca	Napoleon Jacques	Emma Larochelle	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	Canada	19 16
3	"	Margaret D.	Ernest S. Smith	Lucy Cormier	"	Watchman	Nashua	"	26 25
6	"	Maynard Chiff'd	Moses H. Tibbets	Georgie M. B. Daney	E. Rochester	Labourer	Berwick, Me.	Madbury	27 27
10	Gonic	Raoul Charles	Alph'se Bonenfant	Elzie A. Lessa	Gonic	Brickmaker	Canada	Suncook	29 19
12	Roch.	Lewis Herbert	Herb't M. Goodwin	Nell'e B. Weare	Rochester	R. R. Employee	No. Berwick, Me	So Berwick, Me.	34 30

# JULY—Continued

22	Gonic	Ella Wilda	F	L	9w	Charles Bell	Fama Poirier	w	Gonic	Barber	Milbury, Mass.	38
24	Roch.	James Carlyle	M	"	3	Albie C. Sanville	Mattie A. Day		Rochester	Mill Hand	Berwick, Me.	33
27	"	Juliette Lucie'e	"	"	3	Louis Letourneau	Audiana Marcoux		"	Teamster	Canada	24
29	Gonic	Cortella	"	"	9	Eugene Cossette	Valerie Richer		"	Grocer	"	26
31	"	Wilfrid	"	"	3	Arthur Desmarais	Albina Riguer		Gonic	Brickmaker	"	49
31	"	Norman Ezra	"	"	1	Percy Marden	Rose L. Graffam		Dover	"	Rochester	29
31	"		"	"	1	William O. Allen	Florence M. Bryant		Rochester	R. R. Employee	York, Me.	26
31	"		"	"	1					Alfred, Me.		20
31	"		"	"	1							27
31	"		"	"	1							34

# AUGUST

2	Roch.	Edmond	M	L	5w	Xavier Turcotte	Rose A. Perreault	w	Rochester	Shoemaker	Canada	37
3	"	Charles E.	"	"	4	Ernest Dame	Inez Watson		"	Teamster	Rochester	34
3	"	Rob't Well'g'n	"	"	4	Fred W. Crocker	Louise Smith		"	Mason	Lawrence, Ms.	25
8	"	Adrian Otis	"	"	3	Andrew Thompson	Sarah Hunter		"	R. R. Engineer	Rochester	35
8	"	Charles Silas	"	"	8	Ernest M. Morrill	Flore'e E. Bickford		"	Windham, Me.	Canada	25
9	"	Mary J.	"	"	3	Eugene C. Brethien	Delia Dubois		"	Rochester	"	31
10	"	Sarah	"	"	4	Thomas Morgan	Annie Rafferty		"	Ireland	Canada	23
11	"	Frank Edward	"	"	2	Frank E. Caswell	Lena Lemire		"	Rochester	Ireland	20
13	"	Joseph Romeo	"	"	1	Joseph O. Lessard	Rosalie M. LeFevre		"	Epping	Suncook	19
14	"	Mari'e Le'adan'e	"	"	3	Phyllis Larochelle	Amanda Lessard		"	Rochester	Malone, N. Y.	22
16	"	Evelina	"	"	10	Pierre Lessard	Georgina Gagne		"	Canada	Canada	30
17	"	Joseph Fred	"	"	8	Gideon Ferland	Sadie Ferland		"	"	"	47
17	"	Alcide	"	"	2	Ernest Poisson	Philomene Dutilier		"	"	"	27
18	E. Roch.	John Isaac	"	"	5	Mose H. Jacobs	Mary E. Clark		"	"	"	27
22	Gonic	Ande	"	"	1	Joseph Ronlx	Estelle R. Johnson		E. Rochester	Stratford	Lebanon, Me.	38
22	"	Tresha Madel'e	"	"	1	Frank W. Moody	Bessie W. Evans		Gonic	Canada	Canada	39
23	K. Roch.	Merton Erban	"	"	1	Fred H. Roberts	Gora B. Hanscam		E. Rochester	Rochester	Gilmanton	21
25	Roch.	Raym'd Chester	"	"	1	George C. Palmer	Maria A. Rizl		Rochester	Farmington	Haverhill, Mas	39
25	"	Giovanni Bapt'a	"	"	1				"	Rindge	Barrington	35
31	"		"	"	9				"	Italy	Italy	37

# SEPTEMBER

1	E. Roch.	Earl W.	M	L	1 w	Donald C. Mason	Mar't A Williamson	E. Rochester	Spinner	Porter, Me.	Rochester	22 21
2	Roch.	Donald Clifford	"	"	10	Feder'k G. Young	Edna L. Bennett	"	Shoemaker	Alton	"	16 16
3	"	Hermosa	"	"	10	Esdras Martineau	Delyna Gourde	"	Truckman	Canada	Canada	41 38
5	"	Anore Vellea	"	"	1	Phillippe Pelletier	Marie St. Germain	"	"	"	"	23 21
6	"	Wilfrid Arthur	"	"	4	Thomas Pelchat	Lucie Sylva	"	Laborer	"	"	33 30
9	E. Roch.	Maggie	"	"	1	Felix Philnik	Stella Geriza	E. Rochester	Mill Operative	Poland	Poland	25 21
11	"	Eugenie	"	"	1	Eugene Pare	Azhia Labrie	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	21 21
12	"	"	"	"	4	W. S. Hiscock	Hattie K. Caverly	"	Shoe Operative	Abbot, Me.	Brentwood	38 35
14	"	"	"	"	2	Honore Pouliot	Orisele Perreault	"	Laborer	"	"	29 24
15	"	Yvonne	"	"	2	Jos. Chapdelaine	Josephine Perreault	"	"	"	"	22 23
17	"	Joseph	"	"	1	Fred M. Holt	Albina Robillard	"	Firman	Exeter	Cambridge	24 20
17	"	Hellen Edith	"	"	1	Bernard Marchand	Mabelle Shaw	"	Shoe Operative	Rochester	E. Rochester	21 19
17	"	Janice	"	"	1	Frank B. McIntyre	Grace M. Downing	"	Car Inspector	Dover	Farmington	38 32
18	"	Eva Adella	"	"	3	Aleide Marcotte	Minnie Jones	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	E. Rochester	27 20
19	"	Tryphena	"	"	1	John F. Hickey	Elizabeth R. Gidea	"	"	Amesbury, Ms	Haverhill, Mass	37 34
20	"	Gertrude May	"	"	4	William Connel	Nellie Willis	"	Shoemaker	Scotland	Dover	27 28
21	"	Joseph	"	"	6	Bert E. Emerson	Mary E. Kenney	"	Sawyer	Chester	Almo, N. B.	35 28
21	"	Walter DeForest	"	"	3	Eugene Hall	Emma Anthier	"	Painter	Dover	Biddeford	27 28
22	"	Hazel M.	"	"	1	Fred F. Seavey	Faye Woodruff	"	Lumber Merchant	Roseton, Mass.	Massachusetts	28 29
22	"	Dorothy	"	"	2	Frank C. Caaney	Edith M. Osborne	"	R. R. Employee	Lakeside, Mich.	Yankton, S. D.	22 22
24	"	Clifton Chaney	"	"	2	Adelard Caye	Edith Labrie	"	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada	41 41
24	"	Roxanna	"	"	2							

# OCTOBER

1	Roch.	Robert Clifton	M	L	2 w	Roy C. Smith	Clara D. Colby	E. Rochester	R. R. Conductor	Rochester	Sunapee	25 24
2	E. Roch.	Virgil Edward	"	"	4	Noah H. Warburton	Mabel E. Paulsford	"	Shoemaker	"	Taunton, Mass	36 33
5	"	"	"	"	4	Hiram R. Johnson	Mabel F. Jenkins	"	Laborer	Stratford	Reading, Mass	32 26
6	Roch.	Gertrude Lydia	"	"	3	Albert E. Daniels	Mabel V. Bishop	Rochester	Grain Merchant	Larrington	Farmington	29 28
7	"	"	F	"	5	Jas. S. Wentworth	Grace E. Pilsbury	Lebanon	Merchant	Lebanon, Me.	Springvale, Me	41 33
8	"	"	"	"	2	Joseph Grassi	Mary Blodan	Rochester	Shoemaker	Rochester	Rochester	22 22
9	"	"	"	"	1	Wild E. Springfield	Helen M. Spaulding	"	Stock Farmer	"	Epsom	20 18
10	"	George Willard	"	"	2	Geo. A. Fashley	Lulu E. Keyser	"	Drug Clerk	Garland, Me.	Clarksville	27 31
12	Strafford	Clarice Beryl	"	"	2	Chas. A. Parsbley	Elizabeth A. Gibson	"	Box Maker	Stratford	Nova Scotia	28 27
12	"	Harry Gibson	"	"	1	Stacey A. Draper	Della F. Cotter	E. Rochester	Carpenter	Tilton	Dover	19 20
14	E. Roch.	Evelyn Elizabeth	"	"	1	Rose Kelley	Rose Kelley	Rochester	Laborer	Kennedy Pt, Me.	Mercedith	61 40
16	Roch.	Samuel William	"	"	1	Ernestine Larocche		Gonic	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada	29 25
17	Gonic	Leo	"	"	1							

# OCTOBER—Continued

20	Gonic	Valida Rosilda	F	L	6 W	Israel Laurion	Emma Landry	W	Gonic	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada	30 35
21	Roch.	John W. Jr.	M	"	1	John W. Hall	Grace Olson		Rochester	Box Maker	Rochester	Rochester	29 25
22	"	Jos. Ray B. noit	"	"	1	William J. Lanley	Elenore Ferland		"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	21 20
23	E. Roch.	George Malcolm	"	"	3	George H. Magoon	Helen S. Faunce		Canada	Ball Player	St. Albans, Me.	Lisbon Falls, Me.	32 39
25	Roch.	Irvin Andrew	"	"	4	Andrew F. Hooper	Emma Hurd		E. Rochester	R. K. Brakeman	Lebanon, Me.	"	37 37
26	"	Stephen	"	"	11	Martin L. Collins	K. E. Hughes		Rochester	Tanner	Rochester	"	37 37
30	"	Glenn E.	"	"	3	Ernest L. Marston	E. N. L. McCutcheon		"	Iron Moulder	Westbrook, Me.	New Brunswick	33 32
30	"	Frank Alexander	"	"	3	Henry W. Burleigh	Floia McDonald		"	Painter	Dover	Rochester	24 19

# NOVEMBER

1	Roch.	Ernest Albert	M	L	4 W	Geo. A. Downs	Gora E. Hur	W	Rochester	Spinner	S. Berwick, Me.	Rochester	42 23
1	"	Freda Maude	"	"	3	Jesse C. Baker	M. Maude Palmer		"	Shoemaker	Rochester	"	42 23
6	"	John Robert	"	"	1	Clarence C. Hanson	Ruby L. Houston		"	Milk Dealer	Somersworth	Kennebunk, Me.	22 22
8	"	John Paul	"	"	2	John A. Morgan	Catherine Valley		"	Insurance Agent	Andover, Mass.	Rochester	33 29
9	E. Roch.	Irene Elizabeth	"	"	3	Sanford P. Fowler	Estelle B. Chisholm		E. Rochester	Shoemaker	Sherrifield, Me.	"	23 25
10	Roch.	Imelda Helena	"	"	3	Thos. J. Kittredge	Elizabeth McGinley		Rochester	Bookkeeper	Canaan, Mass.	Lebanon, Me.	31 30
12	"	Lonise Lauretta	"	"	3	John A. Abbott	Ida E. Traflet		"	Farmer	Farmington	Rochester	25 24
13	"	Rosanna	"	"	3	Alfred Brochu	Lizzie Spain		"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	29 31
13	"	Aurie M.	"	"	4	Polycarpe Dallaire	Clara Vachon		"	Laborer	"	P. E. Island	41 42
15	W. Roch.	Mariange Rosa'e	"	"	9	Edward Jerome	Mary A. Burt		Gonic	Lumberman	"	Canada	24 20
19	Roch.	Hylda Irene	"	"	1	Joseph Goulet	Delina LaCroix		Rochester	Brickmaker	Rochester	New Hampshire	35 33
24	"	Don't Littlefield	"	"	6	Frank Ward	Mary J. Jacques		"	Teamster	New Hampshire	"	35 34
27	"	Thelma Louise	"	"	2	C. C. Shaw	Grace E. Stevens		"	Bank Clerk	Sanford, Me.	Ireland	30 28
30	"	"	"	"	1	James Stacey Tripp	Rachel McComb		"	Laborer	Canada	Norway	33 33
30	"	Alcide	"	"	6	Johnny Perreault	Lillida Olsen		"	Teamster	"	Canada	30 26
					1	Charles Tremblay	Lillie Desmarais						

# DECEMBER

3	Roch.	Marion	M	L	5	W	Edgar Pease	Gertrude Sunborn	W	Rochester	Groceryman	Farmington	Portland, Me.	32 32
6	"	Edmond	"	"	3		Godefrol Vallee	Josephine Britton	"	"	Labour	Canada	Wolfeboro	31 21
8	E. Roch.	Arnold Herbert	"	"	1		Arthur L. McGrill's	Alice M. Chisholm	E. Rochester	Rochester	Mill Employe]	Rochester	Rochester	23 16
9	Roch.	Marla'e Adrien'e	"	"	1		Pierre Letourneau	Leontine Ruel	Rochester	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	33 31
9	"	Byron G.	"	"	2		Geo. F. Bailey	L. Mand	"	"	"	Westbrook, Me	Vassalboro, Me.	36 38
14	"	John Louis	"	"	1		Thomas Scabill	Catherine Kittredge	"	"	Section Hand	Ireland	Ireland	20 25
18	"	Stella Mildred	"	"	1		Fred Cormier	Mattie Connell	"	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	Rochester	20 17
22	"		"	"	1		William S. Connell	Vlia Kimball	"	"	"	"	"	24 18
23	W. Roch.	Cora Annie	"	"	6		Ernest Fleury	Mary K. Syvaine	W. Rochester	Rochester	Teamster	Canada	Richmond, Me.	30 28
24	Roch.		"	"	1		Leroy M. Varney	Maud Reynolds	Rochester	"	R. E. Fireman	Litchfield, Me	Rochester	22 21
25	E. Roch.		"	"	2		Carroll G. Page	Lizzie M. Lynch	E. Rochester	"	Mill Employe	Rochester	Canada	24 23
26	Gonic		"	"	12		Noel Massee	Eugenie Dube	Gonic	"	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada	51 42
28	Roch.	Lumina An'ette	"	"	6		Victor Lamuy	Eugenie Marquis	Rochester	"	Clerk	"	"	43 41
30	"	Napoleon	"	"	1		Leremie Lemelin	M. L. Gregoire	"	"	Shoemaker	"	"	23 31



# MARRIAGES





MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

JANUARY

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years	Color of Each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of Each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and official Station of Person by whom Married.
7	Rochester	William H. Langevin	Rochester	22	W	Shoe Oper.	Canada	George Langevin	Canada	Hotel Keeper	1	C. J. Paradis, D., Rochester
7	"	Eleonore Ferland	"	30		Mill Oper.	"	Francis Ferland	"	City Marshal	1	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
7	Gonic	Charles R. Allen	"	24		Rest. & Ke'r	Rochester	Charles A. Allen	Rochester	Farmer	1	Charles Deshaies, D., Gonic
8	Rochester	S. Maude Small	Gonic	26		At Home	Port'd, Me.	Daniel Small	Gray, Me.	Farmer	1	C. J. Paradis, D., Rochester
12	"	Philip Bedard	"	19		Brickmaker	Canada	Furman Bedard	Canada	Chopper	1	Joseph Corcoran, D., Rochester
15	"	Mary J. Dehayes	Rochester	32		Weaver	Newmarket	Moses Dehayes	"	Farmer	3	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
15	"	Peter Letourneau	"	30		Box Maker	Canada	Louis Letourneau	"	Farmer	1	Rev. A. E. Draper, Rochester
15	"	Norman Dowbridge	"	21		Modiste	Shap'th, Me.	Joseph Ruel	Salem, Mass.	Mason	1	Rev. L. R. Danforth, Rochester
15	"	Margaret McAniff	"	24		Brickman	Ireland	Andrew Dowbridge	Ireland	Tailor	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
15	"	Lawrence H. Clark	Everett, Mass	21		Domestic	Waterv'te, Me.	Fred Clark	Waterv'te, Me.	Farmer	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
15	"	Francis Sullivan	"	21		Auto. Bus.	Lowell, Ms.	James H. Sullivan	Ireland	"	1	Rev. A. E. Draper, Rochester
15	"	Percy A. Marden	Dover	25		Nurse	Dover	Arthur Grafan	Scarboro, Me.	Shoe Oper.	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
16	"	Herbert L. Thompson	Rochester	19		Grocery C'k	Rochester	John W. Thompson	Sanford, Me.	Farmer	1	Rev. A. E. Draper, Rochester
17	E. Rochester	Hazel E. Kerr	Sanford, Me.	21		Shoe Oper.	Canada	Archibald Kerr	Scotland	Carpenter	1	Rev. L. R. Danforth, Rochester
23	Rochester	Donald C. Mason	"	21		Spinner	E. Rochester	Freeman Mason	Kezar F's, Me	Spinner	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
23	"	Margt A. Williamson	"	20		Weaver	Barrington	Joseph Gosselin	Canada	Teamster	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
23	"	Eliza Cooney	Rochester	19		Shoe Oper.	Rochester	Frank Cooney	"	"	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
23	"	Charles M. Wood	"	19		Housework	Dover	William C. Wood	England	Mill Oper.	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
31	"	Martha E. Varney	"	26		Express'm'n	Dover	Isaac A. Varney	Lebanon, Me.	Carpenter	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
31	"	Harry M. Reynolds	Farmington	24		Bookkeeper	Rochester	Emmer Reynolds	Wakefield	Jobber	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
31	"	Grace E. Bronson	Portsmouth	21		Jobber	Newfield, Me	Oscar J. Bronson	N. Y. City	Fish Peddl'r	1	Rev. F. H. Libby, Rochester
31	"	Ralph H. Betts	Lebanon, Me	18		Housework	"	Alfred J. Betts	Dover	Farmer	1	Rev. F. H. Libby, Rochester
31	"	Myrtle F. McIntire	Rochester	23		Car Inspector	"	Frank B. McIntire	"	Car Inspector	1	Rev. F. H. Libby, Rochester
31	"			18		Housework	"				1	

## FEBRUARY

1	Rochester	William A. Marston	Portland, Me.	43	W	Blacksmith	Bath, Me.	Ansel G. Marston	Durham, Me.	Tailor	1	Rev. L. R. Dunforth, Rochester
2	"	Nellie E. Knight	Hollis, Me.	24		Housework	Alfred, Me.	Charles A. Knight	Alton	Farmer	1	Rev. L. R. Dunforth, Rochester
2	"	Fred G. Young	Rochester	17		Shoemaker	Alton	Herbert S. Young	Rochester	Lumber Sa'r	1	Rev. L. R. Dunforth, Rochester
2	"	Edna L. Bennett	"	16		At Home	"	Stephen F. Bennett	Canada	Brakenau	1	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
9	"	Fred Cormier	"	19		Heel Cutter	"	Joseph Cormier	Ireland	Mill Oper'v'e	1	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
9	"	Mattie Connell	"	16		Shoe Finis'r	"	James Connell	New Brunswick	Farmer	2	Wm. Wright, J. P., Rochester
11	"	Ridson D. Jones	"	43		Carpenter	Wolfeboro	Oliver Jones	Wolfeboro	"	2	C. J. Paradis, P., Rochester
11	"	Ida B. Martin	"	34		At Home	Rochester	Charles Gerald	Canada	Shoemaker	1	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
12	"	Napoleon Jacques	"	19		Shoemaker	Canada	August Jacques	Windham, Me.	Wo'd Chop'r	2	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
12	"	Emma Larochelle	Windham, Me.	43		Teamster	Wind'm Me	Adolph Larochelle	Standish	Teamster	2	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
16	"	Aretas E. Libbey	Sanford, Me.	27		Housework	Lebanon, Me.	Nelson Hannan	No. Dakota	Farmer	1	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
16	"	Mary E. Libbey	Lebanon, Me.	25		Dyer	No. Dakota	Fred Gates	Canada	Meat Cutter	1	Rev. A. J. Northrup, Dover
18	Dover	John Warren	"	20		Waitress	Marlow	William Warren	England	Tailor	1	Rev. A. J. Northrup, Dover
18	"	Nellie Warren	Rochester	21		Shoemaker	Rochester	Louis E. Marshland		Shoemaker	1	
18	"	Bernard N. Marshland	"	21		At Home	E. Rochester	Joseph Shaw			1	
18	"	Mabel L. Shaw	"	19							1	

## MARCH

9	Rochester	Louis A. Griffin	Em'y's M'ts Me	26	W	Laster	Shap'gh, Me.	Samuel Griffin	Lynn, Mass.	Brakenau	1	Rev. L. R. Dunforth, Rochester
19	"	Alta B. Muchmore	Rochester	18		Housework	Ossipee	John Parsons	Shapleigh, Me	Laborer	3	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
19	"	Bradley F. Parsons	"	68		Nurse	St John'y Vt	Well- R. Dodge	Lee	Mill Oper'v'e	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
19	"	Minnie A. Hodge	Standish, Me.	43		Dressmaker	Standish, Me	Jonathan Haskell	Lunenburg Vt	Farmer	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
23	"	Harry F. Haskell	Portland, Me.	22		Farmer	Halifax, N. B.	John Watson	Halifax, N. B.	"	1	S. F. Felker, J. P., Rochester
23	"	Jennie M. Watson	Rochester	21		Ice man	Haverhill, Ms	Hugh D. Gile	Manchester	Shoemaker	1	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
29	"	Albert H. Gile	"	18		At Home	Spring'e, Me	James H. Morrison	Scotland	"	2	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
29	"	Lucy N. Morrison	Portland, Me.	39		Shoemaker	Carrot, Me.	David White	England	"	1	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
29	"	Forest E. White	Saco, Me.	26		Waitress	Nova Scotia	John Walton	Bar Mills, Me.	Miner	1	H. L. Worcester, J. P., Rochester
30	"	Mary E. Walton	Windham, Me.	20		Lumber Sa'r	Portland Me	Henry Dyer	Windham, Me.	Machinist	1	
30	"	Edgar Dyer	"	26		Cook	Westbr'k Me	William L. Hawkes		Farmer	1	
30	"	Mildred L. Hawkes	"	20							1	



# MAY—Continued

25	Rochester	John F. Hickey	E. Rochester	36 w	Spinner	Anesh'y Ms	Terrance J. Hickey	Ireland	Spinner	Joseph Corcoran, p., Rochester
28	"	Elizabeth R. Glueca	"	33	Weaver	Haverp'l Ms	Peter Glueca	"	Merchant	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
29	Gonic	George W. Chapman	Rochester	37	Engineer	Wakefield	Charles Chapman	Milton	"	Rev. W. J. Malvern, Gonic
29	Rochester	Nellie F. Charles	Stow, Me.	24	At Home	Gorham	Lewis J. Charles	Stow, Me.	"	Rev. D. B. Dow, Gonic
		Frank H. Powell	"	24	Mill Oper.	Charl'm, Ms	Charles E. Gray	Maine	Sawm'l Man	
		Ethel M. Gray	"	19	"	Gonic	John Smith	England	Spinner	
		James W. Smith	E. Rochester	33	Shoemaker	Lowell, Ms.	Warren Smith	Barrington	NS Ship Capt.	
		Abbie L. Forbes	Boston, Mass.	30	Stitcher	Nova Scotia				

# JUNE

1	Rochester	Roy T. Foss	Rochester	32 w	Clerk	Rochester	S. Drew Foss	Concord	Farmer	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
8	E. Rochester	Harriett J. Fickett	"	25	At Home	Perham, Me	Isaac Fernald	Sabago, Me.	Carpenter	Rev. T. H. Seamonson, Rochester
10	Rochester	Linwood P. Abbott	E. Rochester	24	Shoe Oper.	Sabago, Me.	Greenville Fickett	Rochester	Engineer	Rev. A. E. Draper, Rochester
12	"	Emma F. Baker	Aurora, Ill.	22	At Home	Boston, Mas	Reuben T. Baker	Littleton	Farmer	Rev. G. L. Mason, Rochester
12	"	John R. Baker	Rochester	33	Farmer	Berwick, Me	William Letch	Canada	Laborer	C. J. Paradis, p., Rochester
12	"	Edith A. Letch	E. Rochester	18	Mill Oper.	Canada	Frank Cooley	Lowell, Mass.	Shoemaker	H. L. Worcester, j. p., Rochester
14	"	James J. Cooley	"	21	Laborer	Lincoln, Me	Thomas Larrabee	Denmark	Farmer	C. J. Paradis, p., Rochester
17	"	Sadie Kimball	"	29	Box Maker	Lowell, Mas.	John J. Leonard	China, Me.	Farmer	O. J. Desrosiers, p., Rochester
17	Somersworth	Frederick C. Leonard	"	21	At Home	Burlington	Napoleon Outnette	Plymouth	"	Joseph Corcoran, p., Rochester
19	Rochester	Anna L. Outnette	Laconia	27	Engineer	Franklin Gr'e	A. P. Larson	Rome, Me.	Salesman	Rev. D. B. Dow, Rochester
22	"	Henry Larson	Palermo, Me.	18	At Home	Palermo, Me	Augustus Tobey	Ireland	Weaver	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
26	"	Olive B. Tobey	Rochester	31	Shoemaker	Canada	Thomas McGee	Sanford, Me.	Shoe Oper.	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
29	"	John McGee	"	25	Mill Oper.	"	Paul Richard	Newfield, Me	Farmer	
		Lena Richard	"	23	Weaver	Rochester	Marcel Beaulieu			
		Henry Beaulieu	"	26	Carpenter	Canada	Edward Bernier			
		Bernadette Bernier	Somersworth	19	At Home	Tilton	A. E. Draper			
		Stacy A. Draper	E. Rochester	19	Shoemaker	Dover	John Colter			
		Della F. Colter	Berwick, Me.	49	Teacher	Berwick, Me	Uriah Blaisdell			
		Frank Wallingford	Lewiston, Me.	38	Shoe Oper.	Green, Me.	John Malone			
		Sadie B. Blaisdell	Rochester	24	"	Ireland	David Graham			
		John Malone	"	20	"	Rochester	Charles W. Hussey			
		Little A. Graham	Alfred, Me.	17	Mill Oper.	Sanford, Me.	Elmer Reynolds			
		Charles S. Hussey	Sanford, Me.	17	"	Newfield, Me				

# JULY

1	Rochester	Raymond A. Quint	Saunder, Me.	23	W	El. Engineer	N. Bewick, Me	Anson Quidot	N. Berwick, Me	Farmer	1	Rev. H. Lockhart,
3	"	Linnie M. Roberts	Rochester	21	19	At Home	Rochester	Joshua M. Roberts	Canada	Teamster	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
4	"	Joseph Couture	"	19	19	Housework	"	Joshua M. Roberts	Rochester	Laborer	1	Rochester
6	"	Ada Corson	"	20	20	Teamster	Lebanon, Me	William H. Corson	Rochester	Teamster	1	Rev. F. H. Libby,
6	E. Rochester	Samuel L. Willard	Dover	23	23	Mill Oper.	Dover	William Simpson	Manchester	Weaver	1	Rochester
12	Rochester	Bernice Simpson	S. Lebanon, Me	24	24	Shoemaker	Alton	David Lamper	Boston, Mass.	Farmer	1	Rev. A. M. Shattuck,
29	Rochester	Charles D. Lamper	E. Rochester	20	20	Mill Oper.	Rochester	John McMill	Westbrook, Me	Boss Team'r	1	Rev. H. Lockhart,
	Gonic	Eliza McCrillis	Portland, Me.	29	29	Salesman	Rochester	William J. Sloane	Canada	Superintendent	1	Uldoric Godin, P.
		Daniel S. Sloane	Westbrook, Me.	27	27	Compositor	Canada	Edward Anderson	"	Farmer	1	Rochester
		Alice L. Anderson	Gonic	31	31	Laborer	Gonic	John B. Ward	"	Mill Oper.	1	Rochester
		Joseph Bernard	"	30	30	Mill Oper.	"	Fortunate Sylvain	"	"	1	
		Clotha Sylvain										

# AUGUST

1	Gonic	Alvin R. Fuglsley	Gonic	26	W	Mill Oper.	Lebanon, Me	John Fuglsley	Shapleigh, Me.	Shoe Repair	1	Rev. W. J. Malvern,
1	Rochester	Clara Deausant	"	20	22	Stablekeeper	Woonsocket, R.I.	Louis Deausant	Canada	Furn'l's Mov.	1	Gonic
3	"	Joseph W. McDonald	Rochester	24	24	Waitress	Ireland	Joseph W. McDonald	Nova Scotia	Furn'r	1	Joseph Corcoran, P.
3	"	Mary J. Sullivan	Wellesley	18	18	Shoe Oper.	Yarmouth, Me.	William Sullivan	Ireland	Pulp Maker	1	H. L. Worcester, J. P.,
3	"	Albert A. Corliss	Yarmouth, Me.	18	18	Housework	Lynn, Mass.	Ferdinand Corliss	Freedom, Me.	Shoe Repair.	1	Rochester
6	"	Dora Danforth	Freeport, Me.	18	18	Mill Oper.	Medway, Ms	Frank Danforth	Ireland	Teamster	1	H. L. Worcester, J. D.,
6	"	John J. Hines	Freeport, Me.	18	18	Housekeeper	Rochester	Levi Otis	Rochester	Mill Hand	1	Rochester
7	"	Ida B. Otis	Rochester	21	21	Color Mixer	Westbrook, Me.	Napoleon Laconte	Canada	Color Mixer	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
7	"	Napoleon Laconte	Westbrook, Me.	21	21	At Home	"	George H. Wentworth	Westbrook, Me	Laborer	1	Rochester
10	"	Bertha L. Wentworth	"	18	18	Blacksmith	P. E. Island	Malcolm Shaw	P. E. Island	Blacksmith	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
10	"	Bayfield K. Shaw	Rochester	22	22	Stenograph'r	Rochester	Daniel S. Hammond	Brighton, Me.	Boxmaker	1	Rochester
10	"	William M. Hammond	"	24	24	Shoe Oper.	"	Horace E. Horne	Rochester	Currier	2	Rev. G. L. Mason,
10	"	Wilbur E. Horne	"	31	31	"	"	Frank P. Ols	Dover	R. R. Man	1	Rochester
10	"	Lottie Otis	"	20	20	"	"	James Connell	Dover	Watchman	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
20	Haverhill, Ms	William S. Connell	Farmington	23	23	"	"	H. Grace Kimball	Ossipee	Farmer	1	Rochester
20	Haverhill, Ms	Villa M. Kimball	N. Wakefield	8	8	"	Canada	John C. Cyr	Canada	Grocer	1	O. N. Landis, P.
21	Rochester	Josephine Cyr	"	22	22	Music Dealer	"	John Cyr	"	Shoemaker	1	Haverhill, Mass.
		Henry Blanchard	Haverhill, Mas	20	20	Housekeeper	Rochester	Charles Blanchard	Cambridge, Ms	Farmer	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
		Mabel Bonny	Rochester	25	25	Housekeeper	"	John Bonny	Dover	Clerk	1	Rochester

# AUGUST—Continued

22	Rochester	Preston E. Morse Mary J. McLellan	21	W	Carpenter	Erin W. K. Me Gorham, Me.	Andover, Me.	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
22	"	Herbert B. Carpenter	23		Tube Maker	S. Berwick Me Milton	Gorham, Me.	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
23	Gonic	Maud E. Wentworth	16		Mill Oper.	John E. Wentworth	S. Berwick Me.	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
27	Rochester	George Crateau	23		Spinner	Exavia Crateau	Milton Mills	1	Udoric Goulin, p.,
28	"	Alice Dube	19		Weaver	Suncok	Canada	2	Rochester
28	"	Edward M. True	62		Real Est Agt	Henry Dube	Fayette, Me.	2	Il. L. Worcester, J. p.
30	"	Susie R. Bryant	54		Housekeeper	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	1	Rochester
		C. Earle Washburn	29		Chemist	Woonsocket	Russellville, R.I.	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
		Mabel Davies	29		At Home	Blackn'tn	Wales	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
		George W. Emerson	42		Shoemaker	Brockton Ms	Roston, Mass.	3	Rev. C. H. Percival,
		Idella C. Ryder	37		Fitter	Stafford Spg Co	Vernon, Conn	2	Rochester

# SEPTEMBER

2	Rochester	Moris Grenier	20	W	Box Maker	Canada	Canada	1	C. J. Paradis, p.,
2	"	Alice Grenier	22		Shoe Oper.	"	"	1	Rochester
4	"	Joseph Belanger	22		Shoe Cutter	"	"	1	C. J. Paradis, p.,
5	"	Albine Vachon	20		Sutcher	Rochester	Ireland	2	Rochester
5	"	Irwin Wright	28		Fireman	Ireland	"	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
7	"	Hannah Galway	25		Housework	Middleton	Middleton	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
7	"	Fred M. Burrows	17		Waitress	Rochester	Rochester	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
11	E. Rochester	Edna A. Downung	16		Shoe Oper.	E. Rochester	Stafford	1	Rev. H. R. Simonds,
11	Rochester	Walter F. Brown	17		"	"	Berwick, Me.	1	East Rochester
20	"	Florence B. Hartford	21		Farmer	Shapley, Me	Nottingham	1	Rev. H. Lockhart,
21	"	Charles O. Huntress	18		Shoe Oper.	Northwood	Nottingham	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
21	"	Alma Bennett	25		Tube Roller	Dorchester	Newton, Mass.	1	Rochester
25	Dover	Estelle C. Cleaves	24		Tube Insp'r	Perry, Me.	Campello, N.B.	1	Rev. F. K. Chase,
25	Farmington	Harry Wormhood	23		Plumber	Ossipee	Kennebun p't	1	Dover
25	Rochester	Mildred Hall	19		Shoe Sute'r	Rochester	Rochester	1	Rev. E. D. Dinslow,
		Arthur M. Twombly	24		Clerk	Alton	Alton	1	Farmington
		Capitol F. Leake	22		Dressmaker	Harrisburg Va	Greenwood Me	1	Rev. H. Lockhart,
		Ralph H. Morgau	18		Mill Oper.	Swatara Me	Sawm'l m'n	1	Rochester
		Eveline A. Hinckle	17		"	Pennsylvania	Butter Fac'y	1	

# SEPTEMBER—Continued

28	Rochester	Lester E. Butterfield	Lynn, Me.	21 w	Farmer	Biddef'd Me.	Chas. A. Butterfield	Moncton, N. B.	Teamster	H. L. Worcester, j.p., Rochester
28	"	Eva L. Connors	"	16	Housekeeper	Sanford, N. B.	Michael Connors	Rev. D. B. Dow,	1	Rochester
29	"	Albert VanBuskirk	Moncton, N. B.	20	Boxmaker	Rochester	Wm. VanBuskirk	Harry Hayes	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
30	"	Stella Hayes	Rochester	17	Housework	"	Frank S. Dodge	Mark S. Roberts	1	Rochester
		Clifford R. Dodge	"	22	Shoe Cutter	"			1	
		Beatrice S. Roberts	"	17	At Home	"			1	

# OCTOBER

1	Rochester	Bion L. Hutchins	Rochester	49 w	Barber	Madison	John F. Hutchins	Madison	2	Rev. Geo. L. Mason, Rochester
9	"	Martha Sleeper	"	37	Bookkeeper	Rochester	Matthew Warburton	England	2	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
12	"	Myron F. Varney	"	28	Housework	Barrington	Freeman Varney	Barrington	1	Joseph Concoran, p., Rochester
16	"	Elizabeth A. Ricker	E. Rochester	23	Mill Oper.	Russia	James L. Ricker	Russia	1	Rev. C. H. Percival, Rochester
19	"	Joseph Hiredmkn	"	25	Housekeeper	"	Frank Hiredmkn	"	1	Rev. D. A. Gannon, Straford
19	Straford	Lena Chimorepska	Salmon Falls	23	Housekeeper	Salmon Falls	Joseph Chimorepska	Sanford, Me.	2	Rev. H. Lockhart, Rochester
19	Rochester	Leroy C. Philpot	Rochester	30	Housekeeper	Barrington	James F. Philpot	Lebanon, Me.	3	Rev. D. B. Dow, Rochester
24	"	Minnie E. Blaisdell	Barrington	20	Mill Oper.	E. Rochester	J. Wesley Blaisdell	Straford	1	Rev. A. E. Walton, Rochester
26	"	Herbert M. Preston	E. Rochester	18	Meat Cutter	Rochester	George Jacobs	Nova Scotia	1	Rev. J. H. Nichols, Derry
26	"	Gertrude Jacobs	"	21	At Home	Nova Scotia	Geo. W. Yull	Sanford, Me.	1	
26	"	John H. Yull	Sanford, Me.	21	At Home	Sanford, Me.	Herbert Stiles	Portland, Me.	1	
26	"	Gertrude V. Stiles	"	21	Teamster	Alfred, Me.	William M. Pool	Kent, Eng.	1	
26	"	Carl N. Pool	Alfred, Me.	23	Cook	Nova Scotia	David Hagar	Brookfield	1	
26	"	Lizzie R. Hagar	Kennebunkport	21	Laundry M'n	London, Eng	John W. Dyne	Brookfield	1	
26	"	Fred Dyne	"	30	At Home	Dover	James W. Ricker	Brookfield	1	
26	"	Jennie W. Ricker	"	21	Shoe Oper.	N. Berwick Me	John S. Colbath	Brookfield	1	
26	"	John S. Colbath, Jr.	"	17	Over Carding	Concord	Daniel Jellison	Brookfield	1	
26	"	Annie B. Jellison	"	40	Milliner	Burke, N. Y.	Autison S. Martin	Brookfield	1	
26	"	Nathan H. Martin	"	20			George Winters	Brookfield	1	
26	"	Cora A. Hall	"	20				Brookfield	1	

# NOVEMBER

4	Rochester	Desiree J. Daigle	29	W	Mill Oper've	Rochester	Clement Daigle	Canada	Carpenter	1	C. J. Paradis, P.
7	"	Annie J. Cormier	29		At Home	Rochester	Joseph Cormier	Georgia, Vt.	Laborer	1	Rochester
9	"	Harry H. Morton	39		Machinist	Philadelphia	George F. Morton		Machinist	2	Rev. C. H. Percival,
12	"	Minnie Thompson	39		Housework	Rochester	Lyman B. Thompson				Rochester
12	"	Austin A. Pinkham	30		Shoemaker	Farmington	Harry A. R. Pinkham	New Brunswick	Shoemaker	2	Rev. D. B. Dow,
15	"	Alice M. Reid	23		At Home	New Brunswick	Henry H. Reid	Weld, Me.	Recl. Bk's'h	1	Rochester
15	"	Harry L. Masterman	22		Farmer	Phillips, Me.	Lane Masterman	Rochester	Farmer	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
15	"	Leslie M. Parsons	23		Teacher	Rochester	Everett Parsons	Wentworth	Laborer	1	Rochester
15	"	Annie P. Hutchins	22		Lineman	Sanford, Me.	Otis R. Whicher		Blacksmith	1	H. L. Worcester, J. P.
15	"	Fred T. Ela	22		Electrician	Cape Porpoise	Edward S. Hutchins		Sea Captain	1	Rochester
15	"	Ethel Stearns	18		Housework	Fryeburg, Me.	John P. Stearns	Fryeburg, Me.	Laborer	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
18	Wilton	Edwin S. Emerson	25		Shoe Oper.	Dover	John A. Emerson	Somersworth	Farmer	1	Rochester
23	Rochester	Etta M. Bickford	25		Houseke'p'r	Rochester	Geo. W. Bickford	Rochester	Laborer	1	Rev. A. E. Walton,
25	"	May W. Moore	25		Asst. Supt.	Racine, Wis	Sands M. Hart		Farmer	1	Rochester
27	"	Charles F. Nelson, Jr.	25		At Home	Boston, Mas	Richard M. Moore		Manufac'er	1	Rev. W. A. Wood,
27	"	Alice B. Hodgdon	27		Farmer	Biddeford, Me	Charles F. Nelson	Biddeford, Me	Station Agt.	1	Wilton
27	"	Peter Morrison	21		Weaver	Spring'g's, Me.	Irryng Hodgdon	Spring'g's, Me.	Farmer	1	Rochester
27	"	Josephine Rider	25		R. R. Emp.	Ireland	Patrick Morrison	Ireland	Blacksmith	1	Joseph Concoran, D.
27	"	Charley D. Nutter	23		Housework	Alton	Thomas Rider	Alton	Farmer	1	Rochester
27	"	Ruby M. Hayes	18		Shoe Oper.	Alton	Charles B. Hayes	Alton	Shoemaker	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
28	Dover	Edward A. Rolfe	37		Shoe Fore'n	Canada	Marshall Rolfe	Canada	Clerk	1	Rochester
28	"	Emma Adams	34		Houseke'p'r	Saranac, N. Y.	Frank C. Mignault	Chazy, N. Y.	Electrician	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
28	"	Claude E. Sawyer	22		Horse Train.	Spring'g's, Me	Ira C. Sawyer	Hiram, Me.	Shoe Cutter	2	Rochester
28	Rochester	Ada Durgin	21		Mill Oper.	Alfred, Me.	Frank Durgin		Doctor	1	Rev. F. K. Chase,
28	"	Gideon Gagner	19		Cloth Dres'r	Canada	Arthur Gagner	Canada	Minister	2	Dover
28	"	Fannie Newell	24		Weaver	Woods'k NB	Zeb. Dow	Woodstock NB	Sawm'lman	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
28	"	Francis E. Fall	37		Chauffeur	Berwick, Me.	Hezekiah Fall	Berwick, Me.	Mill Oper.	2	Rochester
28	"	Jennie M. Gardner	23		Housework	Claremont	John H. Gardner	Pittsfield	Farmer	2	Rev. G. L. Mason,
									Carpenter	2	Rochester



# DECEMBER

18	Dover	Walter E. Young	Rochester	19	Box Maker	Rochester	Walter Young	Massachusetts	Engineer	1	Rev. A. J. Northrup,
21	Rochester	Edna M. Olsen	"	20	Shoe Oper.	"	Olavus Olsen	Norway	Laborer	1	Dover
24	"	Levi H. Miller	Wells, Me.	32	Lumberman	Nova Scotia	Isaac Miller	Nova Scotia	Farmer	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
24	"	Edith F. Ham	Berwick, Me.	64	At Home	Berwick, Me.	Edwin Ham	"	Butcher	2	Rochester
24	E. Rochester	Michael Cregin	Rochester	60	Currier	"	Patrick Cregin	Ireland	Foreman	2	Joseph Coreoran, Jr.,
24	"	Sarah Hughes	S. Berwick, Me.	21	Housekeeper	Rochester	Walter G. Stuart	Wells, Me.	Farmer	1	Rochester
24	"	Jennie J. Stuart	Rochester	22	Farmer	Wells, Me.	Frank H. Allen	Webster, Me.	Stone Mason	1	Rev. A. M. Shattuck,
24	Rochester	Minnie B. Allen	E. Rochester	31	Shoe Oper.	Barrington	Mark Brown	Barrington	Farmer	1	East Rochester
24	"	Oscar Brown	"	21	At Home	Dover	Hall Jackson	"	Tin Peddler	1	Rev. D. B. Dow,
24	"	Seneth Jackson	Milton Mills	19	Shoemaker	Somerswoth	Joseph Page	Canada	Shoemaker	1	Rochester
25	Boston, Mas.	Alcide P. Page	Gonic	18	Shoe Sitcher	Milton Mills	John Wentworth	Milton Mills	Blacksmith	1	Rev. C. H. Percival,
		Jeanette Wentworth	Boston, Mass.	26	R. R. Oper.	Somerswoth	John Nixon	England	Mill Oper.	1	Rochester
		Annie C. Brooks	Boston, Mass.	27	Milliner	Hardwick Vt	William Brooks	Schuyler Falls	Stone Cutter	1	Rev. Alexander Mann,
											Boston, Mass.

\* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd, etc.



DEATHS



DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

JANUARY

Date of Death.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.		Sex.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Disease, or Cause of Death.
			Years.	Months.	Days.	Birth.	Father.					Mother.				
11	Roches'r	Dina Lapointe	60	2	27	Canada	F	W	M	At Home	Canada	Barrington	Simon Corriveau	Soph' Lamontagne	Anoplexy	
15	"	Priscilla M. Foss	76	11	1	Barrington	F	W	W	Retired	Canada	West'r Ms.	Eulhailt Foss	Mary Foss	Mitral Insufficiency	
18	"	Chas. I. Chadbourne	48	4		Rochester	M	"	S	Loom Fixer	Barrington	Water' Me	F. E. Whitney	Alice M. Hall	Stillborn	
23	"	Louisa N. Furbush	8	4	29	N. Ber'k Me	F	"	W	Retired	Unknown	Unknown	Ivory Chadbourne	Julia A.	Septicaemia	
24	"	Oliver C. Tetherly	70	1	15	Alton	F	"	M	Farmer	Wells, Me	Wells, Me.	John Fernald	Sallie Furbush	Mitral Disease	
26	E. Roch.	Sara Bisson	46	11	24	E. Roch.	F	"	M	At Home	Germany	Germany	Oliver Tetherley	Sally Clark	Heart Disease	
27	Roches'r	Emeline Turmel	40	11	24	Rochester	F	"	M	At Home	Canada	Canada	Andre Turmel	Soph' Schmulowitz	Not Known	
28	"	Maite E. Nadeau	46	11		"	"	"	S	"	"	"	George Turmel	Zoe Vachon	Cancerous Cachexia	
29	"	Jessie Chalmers	79	11		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Jean B. Nadeau	Delina Perreault	Pneumonia	
30	"		79	7		Scotland	"	"	W	"	Scotland	Scotland	George Liddle	Margaret Coventry	Malnutrition	
							"	"								Anoplexy

FEBRUARY

1	Roches'r	Joseph Forgues	70	1	29	Rochester	M	W	S	Housekeeper	Canada	Canada	Napoleon Forgues	Elise Pouliot	Suffocation
1	"	Martha S. Fekler	79	1	3	Barrington	F	"	W	Housewife	Milton	Rochester	Ezra Berry	Mary Pearl	Mentally Deranged
4	"	Louisa B. Haskell	93	2	7	Milton	"	"	"	Retiree	Rochester	Rochester	John C. Nute	Sarah A. Varney	Senility
14	"	Melitable Davis	1	6		"	"	"	"	"	Dover	"	John Goodwin	Lydia Blackford	Senility
14	"	Frances C. Smith	5	4		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Irvin K. Smith	Emma J. Berry	Accident
15	"	George L. Smith	5	4		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Irvin K. Smith	Emma J. Berry	Accident
17	"	Augusta C. Lary	75	8	13	N. Ber'k Me	M	"	M	Housekeeper	Canada	Canada	Alexander Farrett	Abigail C. Hersey	Mitral Regurgitation
20	"	Annelie Delouche	61	2	24	Sauk's Me	F	"	"	At Home	Pittsfield	Pittsfield	Jean Jolicoeur	Marie Beaudet	Softening of Brain
21	E. Roch.	Sher'd W. Goodwin	67	6	29	Canada	M	"	"	Heal'n Onl'y	Portsmouth	Rochester	Stephen Shorey	Louisa Corson	Unknown
22	"	John C. Shorey	72	9	17	"	"	"	"	"	Leban, Me	Rochester	Antoine Nobert	Louisa Corson	Angina Pectoris
22	"	Isaac Newberry	66	11	8	Canada	"	"	"	Farmer	Canada	Canada	Pierre Poulin	Louisa Corson	Cerebral Hemorrhage
22	"	Mary Poulin	37	4	25	"	F	"	S	"	"	"	"	Louisa Corson	Phthisis Pulmonalis

## FEBRUARY—Continued

	Rochester	Franco' X Beaudoin	78	Canada	M W	S	At Home	Canada	Canada	Rochester	Eggar E. Canney	Sophie Morla	Heart Ossification
23	"	Evelyn B. Canney	4 19	Rochester	F	"		Alton					Whooping Cough
24	"	Alma B. Carpenter	25	Louisville Ky.	"	"		Louisville Ky.	N w Albany	Robert J. Carpenter	Cora Anderson		Heart Failure
25	"	Martha E. Chesley	79	Pittsfield	"	W		Pittsfield		Joseph E. Clough	Nancy S. Elkins		Cancer of Stomach
26	"	Eveline D. Moulton	84	Pittsfield	"	"				David Jefferson			Pneumonia

## MARCH

	Rochester	Scotland	F	W	Scotland	Scotland	Warrack	General Debility
14	Mary Davidson	88	9		Scotland	Scotland	Agnes Warrack	Bronchitis
15	Katharine Routhier	39	5		Rochester	Canada	William Duquette	Bright's Disease
16	Danise Bilocheau	63			Canada	"	Marie Pouliot	Lupus
17	Laura M. Chaney	63			Farmingt'n	Farmingt'n	Martha S. Elderly	Heart
18	E. Roch.	21			Retired	Milton	Elsie N. Arney	Impacted Heart
19	Clara Howard	52	9		20 Freedom	Alton	Melville Whitnouse	General Debility
20	Mary E. Wallingford	43	8		Housekeeper			Heart Failure
21		43	8		Housework			
22		43	8		Housework			

## APRIL

6	Roches't	James F. Allen	20	10	15	Rochester	M	W	S	Loonfixer	Barrington	England	Edrick M. Allen	Sarah Daylon	Typhoid Fever
14	"	Nancy J. Pearl	78	9	26	"	F	"	W	Housekeep'r	Scotland	Lisbon,	James Yelmon	Martha Foss	Mitral Regurgitation
15	"	Emma S. Foss	54	3	13	Rochester	M	"	M	Housewife	Barrington	Ireland	William Foss	Mary A. Foss	Pneumonia
18	"	Michael J. Heagney	39	7	18	Canada	M	"	"	Druggist	Ireland	Freedom	Patrick Heagney	Ellen Burke	Nephritis
18	"	Esther Stokes	1	2	14	Rochester	F	"	M	"	Freedom	Freedom	Dudley L. Stokes	Sarah F. Tyler	Gastritis
18	"	Harold I. Dannels	1	1	1	"	M	"	S	"	Lynn, Mas	Rochester	George Dannels	Autile L. Nute	Acute Indigestion
19	"	Benj. H. Holt	70	3	28	"	"	"	"	"	Canada	Manches'tr	Benjamin Holt	Brig'et Spain	Bronchitis
19	"	Ray'm'rd Perrault	5	5	20	Rochester	"	"	S	"	Berw'k Me	Berwick	Theod'c Perrault	Rosette Bean	Acute Septicæmia
27	"	Manda A. Holland	53	4	26	Berwick	F	"	M	At Home	Scotland	Scotland	Jos'ua Granl	Jane Piercy	Bright's Disease
29	"	Thos. G. Davidson	32	2	24	Rochester	F	"	S	Laborer	Canada	Canada	Jos. L. Davidson	Charles Billorean	Diabetes
30	Somer'th	Thomas Billorean	34	3	24	Canada	"	"	M	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	Charles Billorean	Celina Duxon	

# MAY

2	Roches'r	Thelma R. Hall	1 25	Exeter	F	W	S	Millner	Milton	Milton	Odeon B. Hall	Elsie Connolly	Anaemia
3	Manch'r	Mary A. Horne	68	5	Alton	M	W	Editor	Rochester	Farmington	Win. R. Kimball	Twoibly	Periculous Anaemia
5	Wakef'd	George S. Dorr	55	11	20	Wakefield	M		Milton	Newington	Charles Dorr	Mary Shackford	Uræmia
7	Roches'r	Arthur J. Morgan	55	11	20	Wakefield	M		N. And'rms	Rochester	John A. Morgan	Cather'ef Valley	Anaemia
10	Gonic	Nazaire Lapierre	18	15	Canada	F	S	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada	Narcisse Lapierre	Melanie Bourque	Appendicitis
11	Roches'r	Fannie C. Preston	50	8	10	Barrington	M	Housewife	Barrington	Canada	Joshua Foss	Eliza Foss	Cerebro-spinal Sclerosis
12			18	7	28	Canada	W	At Home	Rochester	Canada	George Garneau	Octavie Cote	Consumption
15	Saco, Me.	Allice Garneau	78	9	22	Rochester	M	Farmer	S. Ber'k Me	Wakefield	Joseph Cross	Betsy Garland	Acute Indigestion
23	Milton	Odell Welch	7	9	Milton	M	S		Barrington	Stratford	Fre'd Welch	Lydia Marchand	Inanition
30	Roches'r	John M. Dodge			Rochester	M	S		Barrington	Stratford	Forest M. Dodge	Rosella Pearl	Lack of Vitality

# JUNE

1	Roches'r	Dominicus Hanson	93	8	Rochester	M	W	Retired	Dover	Rochester	Joseph Hanson	Charly Dame	Influenza
5	"	Robert Wentworth	84	3	24	Barrington	F	Farmer	Milton	Alton	Aaron Wentworth	Abigail Dow	Unknown
7	"	Mertie B. Dodge	26	25	Barrington	M	S	Housewife	Madbury	Bristol	George Jackson	Nancy Heath	Bronchial Pneumonia
8	"	Mary Hastie	75	16	Scotland	M	W	At Home	SGrovel'd	Scotland	James Lucey, Jr.	Mary O'Brien	Paresis
9	"	Frances T. Lucey	8	16	Rochester	M	S			Rochester	Moses Howard	Rebecca Welch	Anaemia
10	"	Harry E. Livingston	76	7	15	"	M	Farmer			John Varney	Vir'n Livingston	Pneumonia
11	"	Charles E. Howard	76	7	15	"	M				Albert E. Daniels	Mabel V. Hislop	Consumption
12	"	Aurore Poulet	1	8	10	"	S				Emile Verville	Demarals	Convulsions
14	"	Melvina M. Hussey	57	9	18	"	M	Housewife	Rochester	Canada	Samuel Sleeper	Malnutrition	Malnutrition
15	"	Merle A. Daniels	57	9	18	"	M		Canada	Canada	Nahum Corson	Betsy Twombly	Tuberculosis
19	"	Emile Verville, Jr.	48	5	8	Nova Scotia	M	Tinsmith	Rochester	Rochester	Alfred Desmarais	Orville Lachapelle	Carcinoma of Liver
20	"	Herbert M. Sleeper	80	11	12	Rochester	W	Farmer	Canada	Canada	Alfred Desmarais	Ovid Lachapelle	Meningitis
22	Gonic	George Corson	80	11	12	Rochester	F	Housewife	Canada	Canada	George Sampson	Ovid Lachapelle	Myocarditis
24	Concord	Grace Seavey	44	1	8	Mass.	M		Canada	Canada	Amos Desmarais	Ovid Lachapelle	Pneumonia
25	Gonic	Madalen Desmarais	1	8	5	Woon-oct	M		England	England	Amos Desmarais	Ovid Lachapelle	Cancer of Breast
29	Roches'r	Dorcas Withau	55	5	9	S. Berywick	M	Housewife			John Greenwood	Ovid Lachapelle	Cystic Tumor
29	"	Ann Quimby	87	5	9	England	W						

# JULY

13	Roches'r	Harriett Z. Wallace	47	513	Farming'tn	F	w	M	Housewife	Redn'me.	New Castle	Edison Curtis	Mauida A. White	Cardiac Dilatation
15	"	Ada M. Martin	17	816	Benton	"	"	"	"	"	Benton	Chas. C. Bean, Jr.	Elzie Flaniers	Tuberculosis
22	"	Christie Nelson	52	2	7	Norway	M	S	"	Ireland	Ireland	John McGarry	Elizabeth Kennedy	Apoplexy
29	"	Sarah A. Thompson	50	3	1	Scotland	F	W	"	"	Ireland	John McGarry	Elizabeth Kennedy	Old Age

# AUGUST

2	Roches'r	Alice B. Smith	2	119	Rochester	F	w	S	At Home	Dover	Stratford	Irving R. Smith	Emma J. Berry	Broncho Pneumonia
4	Gonic	Lucien M. Roulx	37	117	Gonic	M	"	M	"	Canada	Canada	Henry Roulx	Hedwize Nadeau	Occlusion of Bowels
7	Roches'r	Lea Bovin	37	3	13	Canada	F	"	"	"	"	Vidal Jacques	Dolina Marcon	Burns
11	"	Antoinette Messier	11	3	Rochester	"	"	"	"	"	"	Adolph Messier	Exilda Bisson	Cholera Infantum
18	Gonic	Frank P. Gray	51	2	11	Stratford	M	M	Shoemaker	Alexand'a	Stratford	Walter A. Gray	Louise Leighton	Cholera Infantum
19	Roches'r	Sophonie A. Hurd	8	3	22	Rochester	F	"	"	Canada	Rochester	Benoni Lessard	Eva A. Hurd	Abcess of Liver
20	Milton	Lawson Lessard	8	4	27	Milton	M	"	Farmer	Stratford	Canada	Walter T. Lambert	Delvina Dion	Broncho Pneumonia
26	Roches'r	Romeo W. Lambert	59	1	27	Rochester	"	W	"	Stratford	Canada	Silas Tuttle	Annie Turgeon	Cholera Infantum
29	Foxboro	Loring O. Tuttle	59	1	27	Stratford	"	"	"	Maine	Boston, Ms	Samuel L. Willard	Mary J. Rowe	Dysentery
29	"	Francis H. Willard	54	8	11	Cambridge	"	M	"	"	"	Samuel L. Willard	Mary J. Rowe	Cirrhosis of Liver

# SEPTEMBER

4	Roches'r	Alvina D. Boudue	63	6	19	Ireland	F	w	N	Honsekeeper	Rochester	George Boudue	Delia Houle	Cholera Infantum
6	"	Ann Valley	68	4	24	Bridgton	"	"	W	Housewife	Ireland	James Stuart	Elen Gony	Pneumonia
10	"	Lydia A. Kelley	68	4	24	Rochester	"	"	M	"	Ken'sk, Me	Joshua Taylor	Lydia Webber	Natural Causes
11	"	Alice M. Johnson	23	8	26	Canada	"	"	"	"	Brown'd Me	Harry Johnston	Flossy Chapman	Pneumonia
13	"	Orise Chapdelaine	23	8	26	Canada	"	"	"	"	Canada	Baptiste Potvin	Matilda Turpin	Hemorrhage
14	"	Bertha O. Jenkins	65	8	26	Rochester	"	"	"	"	Ireland	Henry L. Jenkins	Minnie H. George	Cholera Infantum
15	"	Harry W. Keniston	65	8	26	Portsmouth	M	"	"	"	Canada	Cyrus G. Keniston	Mattha M. Daron	Marasmus
19	"	Gladys L. Greene	11	8	28	Berk Me	F	"	"	"	Meredit	Samuel Greene	Rosie Tolson	Cholera Infantum
21	Gonic	Wh'd J. E. Demars	35	1	6	E. Boston	F	"	"	"	Canada	Arthur Demars	Elvena Gegal	Acute Gastro-enteritis
28	Roches'r	Alice E. Collins	35	1	6	E. Boston	"	"	"	"	Canada	Frank B. Hatch	Flora Thompson	Heart Disease
29	Gonic	Ellen W. Bell	2	7	Gonic	"	"	"	"	"	Canada	Charles Bell	Emma Poirier	Cholera Infantum



# OCTOBER

1	Roches'r	Sarah E. Hall	66	21	Rochester	F	W	M	Housekeep'r	Rochester	A. Bickford	Barney Downes	Lucy Gouchee	Heart Disease
2	E. Roch.	Sarah J. Durgin	72	20	Charles'tn	"	"	W	Teamster	Canada	Barney Downes	Charles Fleury	Patience Tebbetts	Apoplexy
3	Roches'r	Charles Fleury, Jr.	42	31	Canada	F	M	S	Tailor	Tamworth	Charles Fleury	Charles Fleury	Charles Fleury	Apoplexy
4	"	Phebe A. Gilman	60	11	Ossipee	F	"	"	"	Canada	Joseph Dian	Tessie Veage	Typhoid Fever	"
5	"	Henry Dian	30	21	Salmon Falls	M	"	M	Blk'th & Far'r	Milton	Brookfield	Margaret Clark	Scurvy	"
6	"	Harriet Dore	85	22	Milton	"	"	"	"	Canada	Edredge Casteau	Lizzie Blount	Acute Meningitis	"
7	Milton	Edredge E. Casteau	18	32	Canada	"	"	"	Worce's	"	Abing'n Ms	John Ross	Tuberculosis	"
8	Roches'r	Eugene Lamire	43	10	Alton	F	"	"	N' Durgin	"	Jonathan Pearl	Sarah Taylor	Cholera Morbus	"
9	"	Adrianna Gould	72	11	Farming'n	"	"	"	Farming'n	"	Ellozoe Webber	Abigail Nason	Pneumonia	"
10	"	George W. Pearl	63	24	Shap'g'tn	F	"	W	Shap'g'tn	"	Andrew Mohan	Bridget Hughes	Fatty Degeneration	"
11	"	Emma D. Trickey	70	7	Ireland	"	"	M	Ireland	"	John Shephard	Isabel M. Richards	Cholera Infantum	"
12	"	Susanna McCabe	70	7	Ireland	"	"	M	Stratton	"	Thos. J. B. Heath	Lucy C. Moulton	Cerebral Hemorrhage	"
13	"	Leland Shephard	4	17	Rochester	"	"	"	Housewife	Boston	"	"	"	"
14	"	Juliet D. Ward	56	4	St Paul Min	F	"	M	"	"	"	"	"	"

# NOVEMBER

1	Gonic	Elizabeth A. Fredale	72	7	Ossipee	M	"	M	Housekeep'r	Ossipee	Bolw'g, D. Hanson	John A. Abbott	Ida E. Trafton	General Disability
2	Roches'r	Lucania Corson	84	13	W. Leta'n	F	"	W	Housewife	Farming'n	John A. Abbott	Nathan Rust	Ida E. Trafton	Senility
3	"	Charles A. Rust	77	7	Rochester	M	"	S	"	Canada	Fortunat Gingras	Amede Bell	Cedulie Fortier	Apoplexy
4	"	Ernest A. Rust	77	7	Rochester	"	"	"	"	"	Fortunat Gingras	Amede Bell	Phyllis Bouscens	Enterocolitis
5	"	Willie Bell	77	7	Gonic	"	"	"	"	U. S.	Harvey F. Leighton	Savie A. Hall	Phyllis Bouscens	Gastro enteritis
6	"	James W. Leighton	3	2	Rochester	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Savie A. Hall	Bronchitis

# DECEMBER

5	Roches'r	Coral Chick	20	11	Rochester	M	W	S	Laborer	Shap'g'tn, Me	Shap'g'tn, Me	W. O. Chick	Sarah Murray	Suicide by Shooting
6	"	Simon Wentworth	84	1	"	"	"	M	Farmer	Rochester	Rochester	Beard Wentworth	Sarah Roberts	Acute Indigestion
7	"	Matthe A. Scruton	60	7	"	F	"	"	Housewife	"	Somers'w'n	Edward Jerome	Lydia B. Hall	Cancer of Cervix
8	"	Aurle M. Jerome	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Mary A. Burt	Congenital Debility
9	"	John Pass	70	1	"	M	"	W	Cook	N Ber'k, Me	Rochester	George Downs	"	Natural Causes
10	"	Ernest A. Downs	1	1	Rochester	"	"	"	"	Leban, Me	Lawrence	C. H. Smith	"	Marasmus
11	"	Barbara A. Smith	1	1	"	F	"	"	"	"	Canada	Eugene Cossette	Marine Butterfield	La Grippe
12	"	Reina Cossette	4	2	Gonic	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Valerie Richer	Malnutrition

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